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(54) Title: SECRETED PROTEINS AND USES THEREOF

(57) Abstract: The invention provides isolated nucleic acid molecules, designated TANGO 253, which encode proteins containing C1q domains and which are homologous to a human adipocyte complement-mediated protein precursor, TANGO 257, which encode proteins homologous to the human extracellular molecule olfactomedin, a molecule important in the maintenance, growth and differentiation of chemosensory cilia of olfactory neurons, INTERCEPT 258, which encode Ig domain-containing proteins that exhibit homology to an antigen (A33) expressed in colonic and small bowel epithelium, and TANGO 281, which encode proteins downregulated in megakaryocytes that fail to express the gata-1 transcription factor (a factor critical for blood cell formation) and can, therefore, represent direct or indirect gata-1 targets. The invention also provides antisense nucleic acid molecules, expression vectors containing the nucleic acid molecules of the invention, host cells into which the expression vectors have been introduced, and non-human transgenic animals in which a nucleic acid molecule of the invention has been introduced or disrupted. The invention still further provides isolated polypeptides, fusin polypeptides, antigenic peptides and antibodies. Diagnostic, screening and therapeutic methods utilizing compositions of the invention are also provided.

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SECRETED PROTEINS AND USES THEREOF

This application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. patent application Serial No.
5 09/336,536, filed June 18, 2000, the contents of which are incorporated herein by
reference in its entirety.

Background of the Invention

Many secreted proteins, for example, cytokines and cytokine receptors, play a vital
10 role in the regulation of cell growth, cell differentiation, and a variety of specific cellular
responses. A number of medically useful proteins, including erythropoietin, granulocyte-
macrophage colony stimulating factor, human growth hormone, and various interleukins,
are secreted proteins. Thus, an important goal in the design and development of new
therapies is the identification and characterization of secreted and transmembrane proteins
15 and the genes which encode them.

Many secreted proteins are receptors which bind a ligand and transduce an
intracellular signal, leading to a variety of cellular responses. The identification and
characterization of such a receptor enables one to identify both the ligands which bind to
the receptor and the intracellular molecules and signal transduction pathways associated
20 with the receptor, permitting one to identify or design modulators of receptor activity, *e.g.*,
receptor agonists or antagonists and modulators of signal transduction.

Summary of the Invention

The present invention is based, at least in part, on the discovery of cDNA
25 molecules which encode the TANGO 253, 257 and 281 proteins and the INTERCEPT 258
protein, all of which are either wholly secreted or transmembrane proteins.

The TANGO 253 proteins are C1q domain-containing polypeptides that exhibit
homology to a human adipocyte complement-related protein precursor.

The TANGO 257 proteins are homologous to the human extracellular molecule
30 olfactomedin, a molecule important in the maintenance, growth and differentiation of
chemosensory cilia of olfactory neurons.

The INTERCEPT 258 proteins are Ig domain-containing polypeptides that exhibit
homology to an antigen (A33) expressed in colonic and small bowel epithelium, a protein
that may represent a cancer cell marker.

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The TANGO 281 proteins represent proteins downregulated in megakaryocytes that fail to express the gata-1 transcription factor (a factor critical for blood cell formation) and can, therefore, represent direct or indirect gata-1 targets.

5 The TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 and TANGO 281 proteins, fragments, derivatives, and variants thereof are collectively referred to herein as "polypeptides of the invention" or "proteins of the invention." Nucleic acid molecules encoding the polypeptides or proteins of the invention are collectively referred to as "nucleic acids of the invention."

10 The nucleic acids and polypeptides of the present invention are useful as modulating agents in regulating a variety of cellular processes. Accordingly, in one aspect, this invention provides isolated nucleic acid molecules encoding a polypeptide of the invention or a biologically active portion thereof. The present invention also provides nucleic acid molecules which are suitable for use as primers or hybridization probes for the detection of nucleic acids encoding a polypeptide of the invention.

15 The invention features nucleic acid molecules which are at least 30%, 35%, 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95%, or 98% identical to the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:1, SEQ ID NO:2, or the nucleotide sequence of the cDNA insert of an EpT253 clone deposited with ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof.

20 The invention features nucleic acid molecules which are at least 30%, 35%, 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95%, or 98% identical to the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:8, SEQ ID NO:9, or the nucleotide sequence of the cDNA insert of an EpTm253 clone deposited with ATCC® as Accession Number 207215, or a complement thereof.

25 The invention features nucleic acid molecules which are at least 95% or 98% identical to the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:15, SEQ ID NO:16, or the nucleotide sequence of the cDNA insert of an EpT257 clone deposited with ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof.

30 The invention features nucleic acid molecules which are at least 95% or 98% identical to the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:21, SEQ ID NO:22, or the nucleotide sequence of the cDNA insert of an EpTm257 clone deposited with ATCC® as Accession Number 207217, or a complement thereof.

35 The invention features nucleic acid molecules which are at least 45%, 50%, 55%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95%, or 98% identical to the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:26, SEQ ID NO:27, or the nucleotide sequence of the cDNA insert of an EpT258 clone deposited with ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof.

The invention features nucleic acid molecules which are at least 45%, 50%, 55%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95%, or 98% identical to the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:37, SEQ ID NO:38, or the nucleotide sequence of the cDNA insert of an EpTm258 clone deposited with ATCC® as Accession Number 207221, or a complement thereof.

5 The invention features nucleic acid molecules which are at least 30%, 35%, 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95%, or 98% identical to the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:46, SEQ ID NO:47, or the nucleotide sequence of the cDNA insert of an EpT281 clone deposited with ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof.

10 The invention features nucleic acid molecules which are at least 35%, 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95%, or 98% identical to the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:56, SEQ ID NO:57, or the nucleotide sequence of the cDNA insert of an EpTm281 clone deposited with ATCC® as patent deposit Number PTA-224, or a complement thereof.

15 The invention features nucleic acid molecules which are at least 30%, 35%, 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 70%, 75%, 80%, 85%, 90%, 95% or 98% identical to the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 80, 91, 100, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163,
20 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192, a complement thereof, or the non-coding strand of EpT 253, EpTm253, EpT257, EpTm257, EpT258, EpTm258, EpT281 or EpTm281 cDNA of ATCC® Accession 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession 207217, Accession Number 207221, or patent deposit Number PTA-224, wherein said
25 nucleic acid molecules encode polypeptides or proteins that exhibit at least one structural and/or functional feature of a polypeptide of the invention.

The invention features nucleic acid molecules of at least 450, 500, 550, 600, 650, 700, 750, 800, 850, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200 or 1300 contiguous nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:1, the nucleotide sequence of an EpT253 cDNA of
30 ATCC® Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof.

The invention features nucleic acid molecules which include a fragment of at least 50, 100, 150, 200, 250, 300, 350, 400, 450, 500, 550, 600, 650, 700 or 720 contiguous nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:2, or a complement thereof.

The invention features nucleic acid molecules which include a fragment of at least
35 540, 600, 650, 700, 750, 800, 850, 900, 950, 1000, 1100, 1200 or 1250 contiguous

nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:8 the nucleotide sequence of an EpTm253 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207215, or a complement thereof.

5 The invention features nucleic acid molecules of at least 310, 350, 400, 450, 500, 550, 600, 650 or 700 contiguous nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:9, or a complement thereof.

The invention features nucleic acid molecules which include a fragment of at least 1800 contiguous nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:15 or its complement.

10 The invention features nucleic acid molecules which include a fragment of at least 1150 or 1200 contiguous nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:16, or its complement.

The invention features nucleic acid molecules which include a fragment of at least 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600 or 1700 contiguous nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:21 the nucleotide sequence of an EpTm257 cDNA of ATCC®
15 Accession Number 207217, or a complement thereof.

The invention features nucleic acid molecules which include a fragment of at least 1150 or 1200 contiguous nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:22, or its complement.

20 The invention features nucleic acid molecules which include a fragment of at least 420, 450, 500, 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700, or 1800 contiguous nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:26 the nucleotide sequence of an EpT258 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof.

25 The invention features nucleic acid molecules which include a fragment of at least 50, 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700 or 1800 contiguous nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:27, or a complement thereof.

30 The invention features nucleic acid molecules which include a fragment of at least 675, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700 or 1800 contiguous nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:37 the nucleotide sequence of an EpTm258 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207221, or a complement thereof.

35 The invention features nucleic acid molecules which include a fragment of at least 500, 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700 or 1800 contiguous nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:38, or a complement thereof.

The invention features nucleic acid molecules which include a fragment of at least 50, 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700 or 1800 contiguous nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:46 the nucleotide sequence of an EpT281 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof.

The invention features nucleic acid molecules which include a fragment of at least 50, 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 600, 700 or 750 contiguous nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:47, or a complement thereof.

The invention features nucleic acid molecules which include a fragment of at least 550, 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700, 1800 or 1850 contiguous nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:56 the nucleotide sequence of an EpTm281 cDNA of ATCC® patent deposit Number PTA-224, or a complement thereof.

The invention features nucleic acid molecules which include a fragment of at least 50, 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 600 or 700 contiguous nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:57, or a complement thereof.

The invention features isolated nucleic acid molecules having a nucleotide sequence that is at least about 20, 50, 100, 150, 200, 250, 300, 400, 450, 500, 550, 600, 650, 700 or more contiguous nucleotides identical to the nucleic acid sequence of SEQ ID NOS: 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 80, 91, 100, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192, or a complement thereof, or the non-coding strand of EpT253, EpTm253, EpT257, EpTm257, EpT258, EpTm258, EpT281 or EpTm281 cDNA of ATCC® Accession 207222, Accession number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221, or patent deposit number PTA-224, wherein said nucleic acid molecules encode polypeptides or proteins that exhibit at least one structural and/or functional feature of a polypeptide of the invention.

The invention also features nucleic acid molecules which include a nucleotide sequence encoding a protein having an amino acid sequence that is at least 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95%, or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpT253 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof.

The invention also features nucleic acid molecules which include a nucleotide sequence encoding a protein having an amino acid sequence that is at least 95%, or 98%

identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:10, the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpTm253 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207115, or a complement thereof.

5 The invention also features nucleic acid molecules which include a nucleotide sequence encoding a protein having an amino acid sequence that is at least 88%, 90%, 95% or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:17, the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpT257 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof.

10 The invention also features nucleic acid molecules which include a nucleotide sequence encoding a protein having an amino acid sequence that is at least 88%, 90%, 95%, or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:23, the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpTm257 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207117, or a complement thereof.

15 The invention also features nucleic acid molecules which include a nucleotide sequence encoding a protein having an amino acid sequence that is at least 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95%, or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:28, the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpT258 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof.

20 The invention also features nucleic acid molecules which include a nucleotide sequence encoding a protein having an amino acid sequence that is at least 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95%, or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:39, the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpTm258 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207221, or a complement thereof.

25 The invention also features nucleic acid molecules which include a nucleotide sequence encoding a protein having an amino acid sequence that is at least 30%, 35%, 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95%, or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:48, the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpT281 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof.

30 The invention also features nucleic acid molecules which include a nucleotide sequence encoding a protein having an amino acid sequence that is at least 30%, 35%, 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95%, or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:58, the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpTm281 of ATCC® patent deposit Number PTA-224, or a complement thereof.

35 The invention also features nucleic acid molecules which include a nucleotide sequence encoding a polypeptide or protein having an amino acid sequence that is at least 30%, 35%, 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95%, or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, or 58, the amino acid

sequence encoded by EpT253, EpTm253, EpT257, EpTm257, EpT258, EpTm258, EpT281, or EpTm281 of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, or Accession Number 207221, patent deposit Number PTA-224, or a complement thereof, wherein the polypeptide or protein encoded by the
5 nucleotide sequence also exhibits at least one structural and/or functional feature of a polypeptide of the invention.

In preferred embodiments, the nucleic acid molecules have the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56 or 57, or the nucleotide sequence of the cDNA clones of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, 207215, 207217,
10 207221, 207222, or PTA-224.

Also within the invention are nucleic acid molecules which encode a fragment of a polypeptide having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, or a fragment including at least 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 50, 75, 100, 125, 150, 175, 200, 225, 230 or 240 contiguous amino acids of SEQ ID NO:3, or the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpT253 cDNA of
15 ATCC® Accession Number 207222.

Also within the invention are nucleic acid molecules which encode a fragment of a polypeptide having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:17, or a fragment including at least 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 50, 75, 100, 125, 150, 175, 200, 225, 230 or 240 contiguous amino acids of SEQ ID NO:10, or the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpTm253 cDNA of
20 ATCC® Accession Number 207215.

Also within the invention are nucleic acid molecules which encode a fragment of a polypeptide having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:10, or a fragment including at least 360, 370, 380, 390 or 400 contiguous amino acids of SEQ ID NO:17, or the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpT257 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222.

25 Also within the invention are nucleic acid molecules which encode a fragment of a polypeptide having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:23, or a fragment including at least 360, 370, 380, 390 or 400 contiguous amino acids of SEQ ID NO:23, or the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpTm257 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207217.

Also within the invention are nucleic acid molecules which encode a fragment of a
30 polypeptide having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, or a fragment including at least 15, 25, 30, 50, 75, 100, 125, 150, 175, 200, 225, 250, 275, 300, 350 or 360 contiguous amino acids of SEQ ID NO:28, or the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpT258 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222.

Also within the invention are nucleic acid molecules which encode a fragment of a
35 polypeptide having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:39, or a fragment including at least 160, 175, 200, 225, 250, 275, 300, 350, 375 or 385 contiguous amino acids of SEQ

ID NO:39, or the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpT258 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207221.

Also within the invention are nucleic acid molecules which encode a fragment of a polypeptide having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:48, or a fragment including at least 15, 25, 30, 50, 75, 100, 125, 150, 175, 200, 225, 235 or 240 contiguous amino acids of SEQ ID NO:48, or the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpT281 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222.

Also within the invention are nucleic acid molecules which encode a fragment of a polypeptide having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:58, or a fragment including at least 15, 25, 30, 50, 75, 100, 125, 150, 175 or 200 contiguous amino acids of SEQ ID NO:58, or the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpTm281 cDNA of ATCC® patent deposit Number PTA-224.

The invention also features nucleic acid molecules which encode a polypeptide fragment of at least 15, 25, 30, 50, 75, 100, 125, 150, 175, 200 or more contiguous amino acids of SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48 or 58, or the amino acid sequence encoded by EpT253, EpTm253, EpT257, EpTm257, EpT258, EpTm258, EpT281 or EpTm281 of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221 or patent deposit Number PTA-224, wherein the fragment also exhibits at least one structural and/or functional feature of a polypeptide of the invention.

The invention includes nucleic acid molecules which encode a naturally occurring allelic variant of a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162 or 164, or the amino acid sequence encoded by a cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221 or patent deposit Number PTA-224, wherein the nucleic acid molecule hybridizes to a nucleic acid molecule consisting of a nucleic acid sequence encoding SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 28, 39, 48, 58, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162 or 164, or the amino acid sequence encoded by a cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221 or patent deposit Number PTA-224, or a complement thereof under stringent conditions.

Also within the invention are isolated polypeptides or proteins having an amino acid sequence that is at least about 40%, preferably 45%, 55%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95% or

98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, or the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpT253 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222.

Also within the invention are isolated polypeptides or proteins having an amino acid sequence that is at least about 40%, preferably 45%, 50%, 55%, 65%, 75%, 85%,
5 95% or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:10, or the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpTm253 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207215.

Also within the invention are isolated polypeptides or proteins having an amino acid sequence that is at least 88%, 90%, 95% or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:17, or the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpT257 cDNA of ATCC®
10 Accession Number 207222.

Also within the invention are isolated polypeptides or proteins having an amino acid sequence that is at least 88%; 90%, 95% or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:23, or the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpTm257 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207217.

Also within the invention are isolated polypeptides or proteins having an amino acid sequence that is at least about 30%, preferably 35%, 45%, 55%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95% or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:28, or the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpT258 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222.
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Also within the invention are isolated polypeptides or proteins having an amino acid sequence that is at least about 30%, preferably 35%, 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95% or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:39, or the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpTm258 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207221.
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Also within the invention are isolated polypeptides or proteins having an amino acid sequence that is at least about 30%, preferably 35%, 45%, 55%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95% or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:48, or the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpT281 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222.
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Also within the invention are isolated polypeptides or proteins having an amino acid sequence that is at least about 30%, preferably 35%, 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95% or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:58, or the amino acid sequence encoded by an EpTm281 cDNA of ATCC® patent deposit Number PTA-224.
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The invention also features isolated polypeptides or proteins having an amino acid sequence that is at least about 30%, preferably 35%, 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95% or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48 or 58, or the amino acid sequence encoded by EpT253, EpTm253, EpT257,
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EpTm257, EpT258, EpTm258, EpT281 or EpTm281 of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221, patent deposit Number PTA-224, wherein the protein or polypeptides also exhibit at least one structural and/or functional feature of a polypeptide of the invention.

5 Also within the invention are isolated polypeptides or proteins which are encoded by a nucleic acid molecule having a nucleotide sequence that is at least about 30%, preferably 35%, 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95% or 98% identical to the nucleic acid sequence encoding SEQ ID NO:3, and isolated polypeptides or proteins which are encoded by a nucleic acid molecule having a nucleotide sequence which
10 hybridizes under stringent hybridization conditions to a nucleic acid molecule having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:1 or SEQ ID NO:2, a complement thereof, or the non-coding strand of an EpT253 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222.

 Also within the invention are isolated polypeptides or proteins which are encoded by a nucleic acid molecule having a nucleotide sequence that is at least about 30%,
15 preferably 35%, 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95% or 98% identical to the nucleic acid sequence encoding SEQ ID NO:10, and isolated polypeptides or proteins which are encoded by a nucleic acid molecule having a nucleotide sequence which hybridizes under stringent hybridization conditions to a nucleic acid molecule having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:8 or SEQ ID NO:9, a complement thereof, or the non-coding strand of an EpTm253 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207215.
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 Also within the invention are isolated polypeptides or proteins which are encoded by a nucleic acid molecule having a nucleotide sequence that is at least about 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95% or 98% identical to the nucleic acid sequence encoding SEQ ID NO:28, and isolated polypeptides or proteins which are encoded by a nucleic acid
25 molecule having a nucleotide sequence which hybridizes under stringent hybridization conditions to a nucleic acid molecule having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:26 or SEQ ID NO:27, a complement thereof, or the non-coding strand of an EpT258 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222.

 Also within the invention are isolated polypeptides or proteins which are encoded
30 by a nucleic acid molecule having a nucleotide sequence that is at least about 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95% or 98% identical to the nucleic acid sequence encoding SEQ ID NO:39, and isolated polypeptides or proteins which are encoded by a nucleic acid molecule having a nucleotide sequence which hybridizes under stringent hybridization conditions to a nucleic acid molecule having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:37 or
35 SEQ ID NO:38, a complement thereof, or the non-coding strand of an EpTm258 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207221.

Also within the invention are isolated polypeptides or proteins which are encoded by a nucleic acid molecule having a nucleotide sequence that is at least about 30%, preferably 35%, 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95% or 98% identical to the nucleic acid sequence encoding SEQ ID NO:48, and isolated polypeptides or proteins
5 which are encoded by a nucleic acid molecule having a nucleotide sequence which hybridizes under stringent hybridization conditions to a nucleic acid molecule having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:46 or SEQ ID NO:47, a complement thereof, or the non-coding strand of an EpT281 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222.

Also within the invention are isolated polypeptides or proteins which are encoded
10 by a nucleic acid molecule having a nucleotide sequence that is at least about 30%, preferably 35%, 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95% or 98% identical to the nucleic acid sequence encoding SEQ ID NO:58, and isolated polypeptides or proteins which are encoded by a nucleic acid molecule having a nucleotide sequence which hybridizes under stringent hybridization conditions to a nucleic acid molecule having the
15 nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:56 or SEQ ID NO:57, a complement thereof, or the non-coding strand of an EpTm281 cDNA of ATCC® patent deposit Number PTA-224.

The invention also features isolated polypeptides or proteins which are encoded by a nucleic acid molecule having a nucleotide sequence that is at least about 30%, preferably 35%, 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95% or 98% identical to a nucleic
20 acid sequence encoding SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162 or 164, isolated polypeptides or proteins which are encoded by a nucleic acid molecule having a nucleotide sequence which hybridizes under stringent hybridization conditions to a nucleic acid molecule having the nucleotide
25 sequence of SEQ ID NO:1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 101, 103, 104, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192, a complement thereof, or the non-coding strand of
30 EpT253, EpTm253, EpT257, EpTm257, EpT258, EpTm258, EpT281, EpTm281 of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221, patent deposit Number PTA-224, wherein polypeptides or proteins also exhibit at least one structural and/or functional feature of a polypeptide of the invention.

35 Also within the invention are polypeptides which are naturally occurring allelic variants of a polypeptide that includes the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 17,

23, 28, 39, 48 or 58, or the amino acid sequence encoded by a cDNA of ATCC®
Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217
Accession Number 207221, or patent deposit Number PTA-224, wherein the polypeptide
is encoded by a nucleic acid molecule which hybridizes to a nucleic acid molecule having
5 the sequence of SEQ ID NO:1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56 or 57, or a
complement thereof under stringent conditions.

The invention also features nucleic acid molecules that hybridize under stringent
conditions to a nucleic acid molecule having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:1 or
2, or an EpT253 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof.
10 In other embodiments, the nucleic acid molecules are at least 450, 500, 550, 600, 650,
700, 750, 800, 1000, 1100, 1200 or 1300 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridize
under stringent conditions to a nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence
of SEQ ID NO:1 or 2, an EpT253 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, or a
complement thereof.

15 The invention also features nucleic acid molecules that hybridize under stringent
conditions to a nucleic acid molecule having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:8 or
SEQ ID NO:9, an EpTm253 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207215, or a
complement thereof. In other embodiments, the nucleic acid molecules are at least 540,
550, 600, 650, 700, 750, 800, 850, 900, 950, 1000, 1050, 1100, 1159, 1200, or 1250
20 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridize under stringent conditions to a nucleic acid
molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:8 or SEQ ID NO:9, an
EpTm253 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207215, or a complement thereof.

The invention also features nucleic acid molecules that hybridize under stringent
conditions to a nucleic acid molecule having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:15 or
25 SEQ ID NO:16, an EpT257 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, or a
complement thereof and encode a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of
SEQ ID NO:17, or encode a polypeptide comprising at least 360, 370, 380, 390 or 400
contiguous amino acids or SEQ ID NO:17.

The invention also features nucleic acid molecules that hybridize under stringent
30 conditions to a nucleic acid molecule having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:21 or
SEQ ID NO:22, an EpTm257 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207217, or a
complement thereof, and encode a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of
SEQ ID NO:23, or a polypeptide comprising at least 360, 370, 380, 390, or 400
contiguous amino acids of SEQ ID NO:23.

35 The invention also features nucleic acid molecules that hybridize under stringent
conditions to a nucleic acid molecule having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:26 or

SEQ ID NO:27, an EpT258 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof. In other embodiments, the nucleic acid molecules are at least 550, 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700 or 1800 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridize under stringent conditions to a nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:26 or SEQ ID NO:27, an EpT258
5 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof.

The invention also features nucleic acid molecules that hybridize under stringent conditions to a nucleic acid molecule having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:37 or SEQ ID NO:38, an EpTm258 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207221, or a
10 complement thereof. In other embodiments, the nucleic acid molecules are at least 650, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700 or 1800 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridize under stringent conditions to a nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:37 or SEQ ID NO:38, an EpTm258 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207221, or a complement thereof.

The invention also features nucleic acid molecules that hybridize under stringent conditions to a nucleic acid molecule having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:46 or 47, an EpTm281 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof. In other embodiments, the nucleic acid molecules are at least 710, 750, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700 or 1800 contiguous nucleotides in length and
20 hybridize under stringent conditions to a nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:46 or SEQ ID NO:47, an EpT281 cDNA of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof.

The invention also features nucleic acid molecules that hybridize under stringent conditions to a nucleic acid molecule having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:56 or
25 57, an EpTm281 cDNA of ATCC® patent deposit Number PTA-224, or a complement thereof. In other embodiments, the nucleic acid molecules are at least 580, 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700, 1800 or 1850 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridize under stringent conditions to a nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:56 or SEQ ID NO:57, an EpTm281
30 cDNA of ATCC® patent deposit Number PTA-224, or a complement thereof.

The invention also features nucleic acid molecules that hybridize under stringent conditions to a nucleic acid molecule having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149,
35 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192, or a

nucleotide sequence of EpT253, EpTm253, EpT257, EpTm257, EpT258, EpTm258, EpT281 or EpTm281 of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221, patent deposit Number PTA-224, or complement thereof, wherein such nucleic acid molecules encode polypeptides or proteins that exhibit at least one structural and/or functional feature of a polypeptide of the invention.

The invention also features nucleic acid molecules at least 15, preferably at least 50, at least 75, at least 100, at least 150, at least 200, at least 250, at least 300, at least 350, at least 400, at least 500, at least 600, at least 700, at least 800, at least 1000, at least 1100 or at least 1200 or more contiguous nucleotides in length which hybridize under stringent conditions to a nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 80, 91, 100, 101, 103, 104, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192, or a nucleotide sequence of EpT253, EpTm253, EpT257, EpTm257, EpT258, EpTm258, EpT281 or EpTm281 of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221, patent deposit Number PTA-224, or a complement thereof, wherein said nucleic acid molecules encode polypeptides or proteins that exhibit at least one structural and/or functional feature of a polypeptide of the invention.

In one embodiment, the invention provides an isolated nucleic acid molecule which is antisense to the coding strand of a nucleic acid of the invention.

Another aspect of the invention provides vectors, *e.g.*, recombinant expression vectors, comprising a nucleic acid molecule of the invention. In another embodiment, the invention provides host cells containing such a vector or engineered to contain and/or express a nucleic acid molecule of the invention. The invention also provides methods for producing a polypeptide of the invention by culturing, in a suitable medium, a host cell of the invention such that a polypeptide of the invention is produced.

Another aspect of this invention features isolated or recombinant proteins and polypeptides of the invention. Preferred proteins and polypeptides possess at least one biological activity possessed by the corresponding naturally-occurring human polypeptide. An activity, a biological activity, or a functional activity of a polypeptide or nucleic acid of the invention refers to an activity exerted by a protein, polypeptide or nucleic acid molecule of the invention on a responsive cell as determined *in vivo* or *in vitro*, according to standard techniques. Such activities can be a direct activity, such as an association with

or an enzymatic activity on a second protein, or an indirect activity, such as a cellular signaling activity mediated by interaction of the protein with a second protein.

For TANGO 253, biological activities include, *e.g.*, (1) the ability to modulate (this term, as used herein, includes, but is not limited to, "stabilize", promote, inhibit or disrupt, protein-protein interactions (*e.g.*, homophilic and/or heterophilic), and protein-ligand interactions, *e.g.*, in receptor-ligand recognition; (2) the ability to modulate the development, differentiation, maturation, proliferation and/or activity of cells of the central nervous system such as neurons, glial cells (*e.g.*, astrocytes and oligodendrocytes), and Schwann cells; (3) the ability to modulate the development of central nervous system; (4) the ability to modulate the development, differentiation, maturation, proliferation and/or activity of renal cells; (5) the ability to modulate the development, differentiation, maturation, proliferation and/or activity of testical cells, such as germ cells, leydig cells and Sertoli cells; (6) the ability to modulate the development, differentiation, maturation, proliferation and/or activity of ovarian cells; (7) ability to modulate cell-cell interactions and/or cell-extracellular matrix interactions; (8) the ability to modulate the host immune response, *e.g.*, by modulating one or more elements in the serum complement cascade; (9) the ability to modulate the proliferation, differentiation and/or activity of cells that form blood vessels and coronary tissue (*e.g.*, coronary smooth muscle cells and/or blood vessel endothelial cells); (10) the ability to modulate intracellular signaling cascades (*e.g.*, signal transduction cascades); and (11) the ability to modulate adipocyte function.

For TANGO 257, biological activities include, *e.g.*, (1) the ability to modulate the development, differentiation, proliferation and/or activity of neuronal cells, *e.g.*, olfactory neurons (2) the ability to modulate the development, differentiation, proliferation and/or activity of pulmonary system cells, *e.g.*, lung cell types; (4) the ability to modulate the development, differentiation, maturation, proliferation and/or activity of bone cells such as osteocytes, osteoblasts and osteoclasts (*e.g.*, the ability promote the development of osteocytes); (5) the ability to modulate the development of bone structures such as the skull, the basisphenoid bone, the upper and lower incisor teeth, the vertebral column, the sternum, the scapula, and the femur during embryogenesis; (6) the ability to modulate the development, differentiation, maturation, proliferation and/or activity of renal cells; (7) the ability to modulate the development, differentiation, maturation, proliferation and/or activity of intestinal cells such as M cells; (8) the ability to modulate cell-cell interactions and/or cell-extracellular matrix interactions, *e.g.*, neuronal cell-extracellular matrix interactions; (9) the ability to modulate cell proliferation, *e.g.*, abnormal cell proliferation; and (10) the ability to modulate the development, differentiation, proliferation and/or

activity of cells that form blood vessels and coronary tissue, *e.g.*, coronary smooth muscle cells and/or blood vessel endothelial cells.

For INTERCEPT 258, biological activities include, *e.g.*, (1) the ability to modulate protein-protein interactions (*e.g.*, homophilic and/or heterophilic), and protein-ligand interactions, *e.g.*, in receptor-ligand recognition; (2) the ability to modulate cell-cell interactions; (3) the ability to modulate the host immune response; (4) the ability to modulate the development, differentiation, maturation, proliferation and/or activity of pulmonary system cells such as bronchial cells; (5) the ability to modulate the development, differentiation, maturation, proliferation and/or activity of renal cells; (5) the ability to modulate the development, differentiation, maturation, proliferation and/or activity of cardiac cells such as cardiac myocytes; (6) the ability to modulate the development of brown fat (*e.g.*, the promotion of the development of brown fat); (7) the ability to modulate the development, differentiation, maturation, proliferation and/or activity of endothelial cells; (8) the ability to modulate cell proliferation, *e.g.*, gastrointestinal tract epithelial cell proliferation; (9) the ability to modulate intracellular signaling cascades (*e.g.*, signal transduction cascades); and (10) the ability to modulate thrombosis (*e.g.*, the ability to facilitate the removal of blood clots) and/or vascularization (*e.g.*, the promotion of vascularization).

For TANGO 281, biological activities include, *e.g.*, (1) the ability to modulate, *e.g.*, stabilize, promote, inhibit or disrupt protein-protein interactions (*e.g.*, homophilic and/or heterophilic), and protein-ligand interactions, *e.g.*, in receptor-ligand recognition; (2) the ability to modulate cell-cell interactions; (3) the ability to modulate the host immune response; (4) the ability to modulate the proliferation, differentiation and/or activity of hematopoietic cells (*e.g.* megakaryocytes); (5) the ability to modulate the development, differentiation, maturation, proliferation and/or activity of pulmonary system cells; (6) the ability to modulate the development, differentiation, maturation, proliferation and/or activity of intestinal cells such as M cells; (7) the ability to modulate the development, differentiation, maturation, proliferation and/or activity of stomach cells such as cells of the gastric epithelium; (8) the ability to modulate intracellular signaling cascades (*e.g.*, signal transduction cascades); and (9) the ability to modulate platelet function (*e.g.*, the promotion of platelet aggregation).

In one embodiment, a polypeptide of the invention has an amino acid sequence sufficiently identical to an identified domain of a polypeptide of the invention. As used herein, the term "sufficiently identical" refers to a first amino acid or nucleotide sequence which contains a sufficient or minimum number of identical or equivalent (*e.g.*, with a similar side chain) amino acid residues or nucleotides to a second amino acid or nucleotide

sequence such that the first and second amino acid or nucleotide sequences have or encode a common structural domain and/or common functional activity. For example, amino acid or nucleotide sequences which contain or encode a common structural domain having about 60% identity, preferably 65% identity, more preferably 75%, 85%, 95%, 98% or more identity are defined herein as sufficiently identical.

In one embodiment, a TANGO 253 protein includes at least one or more of the following domains: a signal sequence, a collagen domain and a C1q domain.

In one embodiment, a TANGO 257 protein includes at least a signal peptide.

In one embodiment, an INTERCEPT 258 includes at least one or more of the following domains: a signal sequence, an extracellular domain, an immunoglobulin (Ig) domain, a transmembrane domain, and an intracellular or cytoplasmic domain.

In one embodiment, a TANGO 281 protein includes at least one or more of the following domains: a signal sequence, an extracellular domain, a photosystem II 10 kD phosphoprotein domain, a transmembrane domain, and an intracellular or cytoplasmic domain.

The polypeptides of the present invention, or biologically active portions thereof, can be operably linked to a heterologous amino acid sequence to form fusion proteins. The invention further features antibodies, such as monoclonal or polyclonal antibodies, that specifically bind a polypeptide of the invention. In addition, the polypeptides of the invention or biologically active portions thereof can be incorporated into pharmaceutical compositions, which optionally include pharmaceutically acceptable carriers.

In another aspect, the present invention provides methods for detecting the presence, activity or expression of a polypeptide of the invention in a biological sample by contacting the biological sample with an agent capable of detecting an indicator of the presence, activity or expression such that the presence activity or expression of a polypeptide of the invention is detected in the biological sample.

In another aspect, the invention provides methods for modulating activity of a polypeptide of the invention comprising contacting a cell with an agent that modulates (inhibits or stimulates) the activity or expression of a polypeptide of the invention such that activity or expression in the cell is modulated. In one embodiment, the agent is an antibody that specifically binds to a polypeptide of the invention.

In another embodiment, the agent modulates expression of a polypeptide of the invention by modulating transcription, splicing, or translation of an mRNA encoding a polypeptide of the invention. In yet another embodiment, the agent is a nucleic acid molecule having a nucleotide sequence that is antisense to the coding strand of an mRNA encoding a polypeptide of the invention.

The present invention also provides methods to treat a subject having a disorder characterized by aberrant activity of a polypeptide of the invention or aberrant expression of a nucleic acid of the invention by administering an agent which is a modulator of the activity of a polypeptide of the invention or a modulator of the expression of a nucleic acid of the invention to the subject. In one embodiment, the modulator is a protein of the invention. In another embodiment, the modulator is a nucleic acid of the invention. In other embodiments, the modulator is a peptide, peptidomimetic, or other small molecule.

The present invention also provides diagnostic assays for identifying the presence or absence of a genetic lesion or mutation characterized by at least one of: (i) aberrant modification or mutation of a gene encoding a polypeptide of the invention; (ii) mis-regulation of a gene encoding a polypeptide of the invention; and (iii) aberrant post-translational modification of the invention wherein a wild-type form of the gene encodes a protein having the activity of the polypeptide of the invention.

In another aspect, the invention provides a method for identifying a compound that binds to or modulates the activity of a polypeptide of the invention. In general, such methods entail measuring a biological activity of the polypeptide in the presence and absence of a test compound and identifying those compounds which alter the activity of the polypeptide.

The invention also features methods for identifying a compound which modulates the expression of a polypeptide or nucleic acid of the invention by measuring the expression of the polypeptide or nucleic acid in the presence and absence of the compound.

In another aspect, the invention provides substantially purified antibodies or fragments thereof, including human, humanized, chimeric and non-human antibodies or fragments thereof, which antibodies or fragments specifically bind to a polypeptide comprising an amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162 or 164, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the EpT253, EpTm253, EpT257, EpTm257, EpT258, EpTm258, EpT281 or EpTm281 cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession number 207217, Accession number 207221, or patent deposit Number PTA-224.

In another aspect, the invention provides substantially purified antibodies or fragments thereof, including, *e.g.*, human, non-human, chimeric and humanized antibodies, which antibodies or fragments thereof specifically bind to a polypeptide comprising at least 15 contiguous amino acids of the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:

3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162 or 164, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the EpT253, EpTm253, EpT257, EpTm257, EpT258, EpTm258, EpT281 or EpTm281 cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, Accession number 207215, Accession number 207217, Accession number 207221, or patent deposit number PTA-224, or a complement thereof.

In another aspect, the invention provides substantially purified antibodies or fragments thereof, including, *e.g.*, human, non-human, chimeric and humanized antibodies, which antibodies or fragments thereof specifically bind to a polypeptide comprising at least 95% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162 or 164, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the EpT253, EpTm253, EpT257, EpTm257, EpT258, EpTm258, EpT281 or EpTm281 cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, Accession number 207215, Accession number 207217, Accession number 207221, or patent deposit number PTA-224, or a complement thereof.

In another aspect, the invention provides substantially purified antibodies or fragments thereof, including, *e.g.*, human, non-human, chimeric and humanized antibodies, which antibodies or fragments thereof specifically bind to a polypeptide encoded by a nucleic acid molecule which hybridizes to the nucleic acid molecule of SEQ ID NO: 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 80, 91, 100, 101, 103, 104, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192 under conditions of hybridization of 6 X SSC at 45°C and washing in 0.2 X SSC, 0.1% SDS at 65°C.

Any of the antibodies of the invention can be conjugated to a therapeutic moiety or to a detectable substance. Non-limiting examples of detectable substances that can be conjugated to the antibodies of the invention are an enzyme, a prosthetic group, a fluorescent material, a luminescent material, a bioluminescent material, and a radioactive material.

The invention also provides a kit containing an antibody of the invention conjugated to a detectable substance, and instructions for use. Still another aspect of the invention is a pharmaceutical composition comprising an antibody of the invention and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier. In preferred embodiments, the pharmaceutical

composition contains an antibody of the invention, a therapeutic moiety, and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

Other features and advantages of the invention will be apparent from the following detailed description and claims.

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Brief Description of the Drawings

FIGURES 1A-AB depict the cDNA sequence of human TANGO 253 (SEQ ID NO:1) and the predicted amino acid sequence of human TANGO 253 (SEQ ID NO:3). The open reading frame of SEQ ID NO:1 extends from nucleotide 188 to nucleotide 916 of SEQ ID NO:1 (SEQ ID NO:2).

FIGURE 2 depicts a hydropathy plot of human TANGO 253. Relatively hydrophobic regions of the protein are above the dashed horizontal line, and relatively hydrophilic regions of the protein are below the dashed horizontal line. The cysteine residues (cys) are indicated by short vertical lines just below the hydropathy trace. The dashed vertical line separates the signal sequence (amino acids 1 to 15 of SEQ ID NO:3; SEQ ID NO:5) on the left from the mature protein (amino acids 16 to 243 of SEQ ID NO:3; SEQ ID NO:4) on the right. Below the hydropathy plot, the amino acid sequence of human TANGO 253 is depicted.

FIGURES 3A-3B depict a cDNA sequence of mouse TANGO 253 (SEQ ID NO:8) and the predicted amino acid sequences of mouse TANGO 253 (SEQ ID NO:10). The open reading frame of SEQ ID NO:10 extends from nucleotide 135 to 863 of SEQ ID NO:10 (SEQ ID NO:9).

FIGURE 4 depicts a hydropathy plot of mouse TANGO 253. Relatively hydrophobic regions of the protein are shown above the dashed horizontal line, and relatively hydrophilic regions of the protein are below the dashed horizontal line. The cysteine residues (cys) are indicated by short vertical lines just below the hydropathy trace. The dashed vertical line separates the signal sequence (amino acids 1 to 15 of SEQ ID NO:10; SEQ ID NO:12) on the left from the mature protein (amino acids 16 to 243 of SEQ ID NO:10; SEQ ID NO:11) on the right. Below the hydropathy plot, the amino acid sequence of mouse TANGO 253 is depicted.

FIGURE 5 depicts an alignment of the amino acid sequence of human TANGO 253 (SEQ ID NO:3) and the amino acid sequence of mouse TANGO 253 (SEQ ID NO:10). The alignment demonstrates that the amino acid sequences of human and mouse TANGO 253 are 93.8% identical. This alignment was performed using the ALIGN program with a PAM120 scoring matrix, a gap length penalty of 12 and a gap penalty of 4.

FIGURES 6A-6B depict alignments of the amino acid sequence of human adipocyte complement-mediated protein precursor (SEQ ID NO:20; Swiss Prot Accession Number Q15848) and the amino acid sequence of human TANGO 253 (SEQ ID NO:3; 6A) or mouse TANGO 253 (SEQ ID NO:10; 6B). 6A shows the amino acid sequences of human adipocyte complement-mediated protein precursor and human TANGO 253 are 38.7% identical. 6B shows the amino acid sequences of human adipocyte complement-mediated precursor precursor protein and mouse TANGO 253 are 38.3% identical. These alignments were performed using the ALIGN alignment program with a PAM120 scoring matrix, a gap length penalty of 12, and a gap penalty of 4.

FIGURES 7A-7C depict alignments of the nucleotide sequence of human adipocyte complement-mediated protein precursor (SEQ ID NO:32; GenBank Accession Number A1417523) and the nucleotide sequence of human TANGO 253 (SEQ ID NO:1). The nucleotide sequences of human adipocyte complement-mediated protein precursor and human TANGO 253 are 29.1% identical. These alignments were performed using the ALIGN alignment program with a PAM120 scoring matrix, a gap length penalty of 12, and a gap penalty of 4.

FIGURES 8A-8C depict alignments of the nucleotide sequence of human adipocyte complement-mediated protein precursor (SEQ ID NO:32; GenBank Accession Number A1417523) and the nucleotide sequence of mouse TANGO 253 (SEQ ID NO:8). The nucleotide sequences of human adipocyte complement-mediated protein precursor and mouse TANGO 253 are 30.4% identical. These alignments were performed using the ALIGN alignment program with a PAM120 scoring matrix, a gap length penalty of 12, and a gap penalty of 4.

FIGURES 9A-9B depict the cDNA sequence of human TANGO 257 (SEQ ID NO:15) and the predicted amino acid sequence of human TANGO 257 (SEQ ID NO:17). The open reading frame of SEQ ID NO:16 extends from nucleotide 88 to nucleotide 1305 of SEQ ID NO:15 (SEQ ID NO:16).

FIGURE 10 depicts a hydropathy plot of human TANGO 257. Relatively hydrophobic regions of the protein are shown above the dashed horizontal line, and relatively hydrophilic regions of the protein are below the dashed horizontal line. The cysteine residues (cys) and potential N-glycosylation sites (Ngly) are indicated by short vertical lines just below the hydropathy trace. The dashed vertical line separates the signal sequence (amino acids 1 to 21 of SEQ ID NO:16; SEQ ID NO:19) on the left from the mature protein (amino acids 22 to 406 of SEQ ID NO:16; SEQ ID NO:18) on the right. Below the hydropathy plot, the amino acid sequence of human TANGO 257 is depicted.

FIGURES 11A-11B depict a cDNA sequence of mouse TANGO 257 (SEQ ID NO:21) and the predicted amino acid sequence of mouse TANGO 257 (SEQ ID NO:23). The open reading frame of SEQ ID NO:21 extends from nucleotide 31 to 1248 of SEQ ID NO:21 (SEQ ID NO:22).

5 FIGURE 12 depicts a hydropathy plot of mouse TANGO 257. Relatively hydrophobic regions of the protein are shown above the dashed horizontal line, and relatively hydrophilic regions of the protein are below the dashed horizontal line. The cysteine residues (cys) and potential N-glycosylation sites (Ngly) are indicated by short vertical lines just below the hydropathy trace. The dashed vertical line separates the signal
10 sequence (amino acids 1 to 21 of SEQ ID NO:23; SEQ ID NO:25) on the left from the mature protein (amino acids 22 to 406 of SEQ ID NO:23; SEQ ID NO:24) on the right. Below the hydropathy plot, the amino acid sequence of mouse TANGO 257 is depicted.

FIGURE 13 depicts an alignment of the amino acid sequence of human TANGO 257 (SEQ ID NO:17) and the amino acid sequence of mouse TANGO 257 (SEQ ID
15 NO:23). This alignment demonstrates that the amino acid sequences of human and mouse TANGO 257 are 94.1% identical. This alignment was performed using the ALIGN program with a PAM120 scoring matrix, a gap length penalty of 12 and a gap penalty of 4.

FIGURE 14 depicts an alignment of the amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO:43) encoded by a nucleotide sequence referred to in PCT publication WO 98/39446 as "gene
20 64", and the amino acid sequence of human TANGO 257 (SEQ ID NO:17). Gene 64 encodes a 353 amino acid residue protein that exhibits homology with the human extracellular molecule olfactomedin, which is thought to be involved in maintenance, growth and/or differentiation of chemosensory cilia on the apical dendrites of olfactory neurons. The polypeptide encoded by gene 64 also exhibits homology to human TANGO
25 257, which contains 406 amino acids (*i.e.*, an additional 53 amino acids carboxy to residue 353). The amino acid sequences of amino acid residues 1-353 of the gene 64-encoded polypeptide and human TANGO 257 are identical. As such, the overall amino acid sequence identity between the full length polypeptide encoded by gene 64, and the full-length human TANGO 257 polypeptide is approximately 87%. This alignment was
30 performed using the ALIGN alignment program with a PAM120 scoring matrix, a gap length penalty of 12, and a gap penalty of 4.

FIGURES 15A-15D depict an alignment of the nucleotide sequence of gene 64 (SEQ ID NO:66; PCT Publication WO 98/39446) and the nucleotide sequence of human TANGO 257 (SEQ ID NO:15). The nucleotide sequences of gene 64 and human
35 TANGO 257 are 93.5% identical. It is noted, however, that among the differences between the two sequences is a cytosine nucleotide at human TANGO 257 (SEQ ID

NO:15) position 1146 that results in a human TANGO 257 amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO:17) of 406 amino acids as opposed to the gene 64 amino acid sequence of only 353 amino acids (SEQ ID NO:43). Alignment of the nucleotide sequence of the gene 64 open reading frame and that of human TANGO 257 (SEQ ID NO:16) show that the two
 5 nucleotide sequences are 87.2% identical. These alignments were performed using the ALIGN program with a PAM220 scoring matrix, a gap length penalty of 12 and a gap penalty of 4.

FIGURE 16 depicts an alignment of the acid sequence of the gene 64-encoded polypeptide (SEQ ID NO:43) and the amino acid sequence of mouse TANGO 257 (SEQ
 10 ID NO:23). The sequences exhibit an overall amino acid sequence identity of approximately 81.8%. This alignment was performed using an ALIGN program with a PAM120 scoring matrix, a gap length penalty of 12 and a gap penalty of 4.

FIGURE 17A-17C depicts an alignment of the nucleotide sequence of gene 64 (SEQ ID NO:66) and the nucleotide sequence of mouse TANGO 257 (SEQ ID NO:21).
 15 The two sequences are approximately 76.2% identical. Alignment of the nucleotide sequence of the gene 64 open reading frame and that of mouse TANGO 257 (SEQ ID NO:22) show that the two nucleotide sequences are 77.8% identical. These alignments were performed using the ALIGN program with a PAM220 scoring matrix, a gap length penalty of 12 and a gap penalty of 4.

FIGURES 18A-18B depict the cDNA sequence of human INTERCEPT 258 (SEQ ID NO:26) and the predicted amino acid sequence of INTERCEPT 258 (SEQ ID NO:28). The open reading frame of SEQ ID NO:26 extends from nucleotide 153 to nucleotide 1262 of SEQ ID NO:26 (SEQ ID NO:27).
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FIGURE 19 depicts a hydropathy plot of human INTERCEPT 258. Relatively
 25 hydrophobic regions of the protein are above the dashed horizontal line, and relatively hydrophilic regions of the protein are below the dashed horizontal line. The cysteine residues (Cys) and potential N-glycosylation sites (Ngly) are indicated by short vertical lines just below the hydropathy trace. Below the hydropathy plot, the amino acid sequence of human INTERCEPT 258 is depicted.

FIGURES 20A-20B depict a cDNA sequence of mouse INTERCEPT 258 (SEQ ID NO:37) and the predicted amino acid sequence of mouse INTERCEPT 258 (SEQ ID NO:39). The open reading frame of SEQ ID NO:37 extends from nucleotide 107 TO 1288 of SEQ ID NO:60 (SEQ ID NO:38).
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FIGURE 21 depicts a hydropathy plot of mouse INTERCEPT 258. Relatively
 35 hydrophobic regions of the protein are shown above the dashed horizontal line, and relatively hydrophilic regions of the protein are below the dashed horizontal line. The

cysteine residues (cys) and potential N-glycosylation sites (Ngly) are indicated by short vertical lines just below the hydropathy trace. The dashed vertical line separates the signal sequence (amino acids 1 to 29 of SEQ ID NO:39; SEQ ID NO:41) on the left from the mature protein (amino acids 30 to 394 of SEQ ID NO:39; SEQ ID NO:40) on the right.

- 5 Below the hydropathy plot, the amino acid sequence of mouse INTERCEPT 258 is depicted.

FIGURE 22 depicts an alignment of the amino acid sequence of human INTERCEPT 258 (SEQ ID NO:28) and the amino acid sequence of mouse INTERCEPT 258 (SEQ ID NO:39). The alignment demonstrates that the amino acid sequences of
10 human and mouse INTERCEPT 258 are 62.8% identical. This alignment was performed using the ALIGN program with a PAM120 scoring matrix, a gap length penalty of 12 and a gap penalty of 4.

FIGURE 23 depicts an alignment of the amino acid sequence of human A33 antigen (SEQ ID NO:67; Swiss Prot Accession Number Q99795) and the amino acid
15 sequence of human INTERCEPT 258 (SEQ ID NO:28). The A33 antigen is a transmembrane glycoprotein and member of the Ig superfamily that may be a cancer cell marker. The amino acid sequences of A33 antigen and human INTERCEPT 258 are 23% identical. This alignment was performed using the ALIGN alignment program with a PAM120 scoring matrix, a gap length penalty of 12, and a gap penalty of 4.

20 FIGURES 24A-24D depict an alignment of the nucleotide sequence of human A33 antigen (SEQ ID NO:68; Gen Bank Accession Number U79725) and the nucleotide sequence of human INTERCEPT 258 (SEQ ID NO:26). These two nucleotide sequences are 40.6% identical. The nucleotide sequence of the open reading frame of human A33 antigen and that of human INTERCEPT 258 are 44% identical. These alignments were
25 performed using the ALIGN alignment program with a PAM120 scoring matrix, a gap length penalty of 12, and a gap penalty of 4.

FIGURE 25 depicts an alignment of the amino acid sequence of human A33 antigen (SEQ ID NO:67; Swiss Prot Accession Number Q99795) and the amino acid
30 sequence of mouse INTERCEPT 258 (SEQ ID NO:39). These two amino acid sequences have an overall amino acid identity of 23%. This alignment was performed using the ALIGN alignment program with a PAM120 scoring matrix, a gap length penalty of 12, and a gap penalty of 4.

FIGURES 26A-26D depict an alignment of the nucleotide sequence of human A33 antigen (SEQ ID NO:68; GenBank Accession Number U79725) and the nucleotide
35 sequence of mouse INTERCEPT 258 (SEQ ID NO:37). These two nucleotide sequences are 40% identical. The nucleotide sequence of the open reading frame of human A33

antigen and that of mouse INTERCEPT 258 are 43.2% identical. These alignments were performed using the ALIGN alignment program with a PAM120 scoring matrix, a gap length penalty of 12, and a gap penalty of 4.

FIGURE 27A-27E depict an alignment of the nucleotide sequence of human
 5 PECAM-1, an integrin expressed on endothelial cells (SEQ ID NO:72) and the nucleotide sequence of human INTERCEPT 258 (SEQ ID NO:26). These two nucleotide sequences are 40.5% identical. This alignment was performed using ALIGN alignment program with a PAM120 scoring matrix, a gap length of 12, and a gap penalty of 4.

FIGURE 28A-28B depict the cDNA sequence of human TANGO 281 (SEQ ID
 10 NO:46) and the predicted amino acid sequence of human TANGO 281 (SEQ ID NO:48). The open reading frame of SEQ ID NO:66 extends from nucleotide 65 to nucleotide 799 of SEQ ID NO:46 (SEQ ID NO:47).

FIGURE 29 depicts a hydropathy plot of human TANGO 281. Relatively
 15 hydrophobic regions of the protein are above the dashed horizontal line, and relatively hydrophilic regions of the protein are below the dashed horizontal line. The cysteine residues (cys) are indicated by short vertical lines just below the hydropathy trace. The dashed vertical line separates the signal sequence (amino acids 1 to 38 of SEQ ID NO:48; SEQ ID NO:49) on the left from the mature protein (amino acids 39 to 245 of SEQ ID NO:48; SEQ ID NO:50) on the right. Below the hydropathy plot, the amino acid sequence
 20 of human TANGO 281 is depicted.

FIGURE 30 depicts an alignment of the amino acid sequence of photosystem II 10
 kD phosphoprotein domain (SEQ ID NO:69; GenBank Accession Number PF00737) and the amino acid sequence 97 to 146 of human TANGO 281 (SEQ ID NO:48). This alignment was performed using the ALIGN alignment program with a PAM120 scoring
 25 matrix, a gap length penalty of 12, and a gap penalty of 4.

FIGURES 31A-31B depict the cDNA sequence of mouse TANGO 281 (SEQ ID
 NO:56) and the predicted amino acid sequence of mouse TANGO 281 (SEQ ID NO:58). The open reading frame of SEQ ID NO:56 extends from nucleotide 90 to nucleotide 728 of SEQ ID NO:56 (SEQ ID NO:57).

Figure 32 depicts a hydropathy plot of mouse TANGO 281. Relatively
 30 hydrophobic regions of the protein are above the dashed horizontal line, and relatively hydrophilic regions of the protein are below the dashed horizontal line. The cysteine residues (cys) are indicated by short vertical lines just below the hydropathy trace. The dashed vertical line separates the signal sequence (amino acids 1 to 26 of SEQ ID NO:58;
 35 SEQ ID NO:59) on the left from the mature protein (amino acids 27 to 213 of SEQ ID

NO:58; SEQ ID NO:60) on the right. Below the hydropathy plot, the amino acid sequence of mouse TANGO 281 is depicted.

FIGURE 33 depicts an alignment of the amino acid sequence of human TANGO 281 (SEQ ID NO:48) and the amino acid sequence of mouse TANGO 281 (SEQ ID NO:58). The alignment demonstrates that the amino acid sequences of human and mouse TANGO 281 are 66.5% identical. This alignment was performed using the ALIGN program with a PAM120 scoring matrix, a gap length penalty of 12 and a gap penalty of 4.

Detailed Description of the Invention

The TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 and TANGO 281 proteins and nucleic acid molecules comprise families of molecules having certain conserved structural and functional features. As used herein, the terms "family" or "families" are intended to mean two or more proteins or nucleic acid molecules having a common structural domain and having sufficient amino acid or nucleotide sequence identity as defined herein.

Family members can be from either the same or different species. For example, a family can comprises two or more proteins of human origin, or can comprise one or more proteins of human origin and one or more of non-human origin. Members of the same family may also have common structural domains.

For example, TANGO 253 proteins, TANGO 257 proteins, INTERCEPT 258 proteins and TANGO 281 proteins of the invention have signal sequences. As used herein, a "signal sequence" includes a peptide of at least about 15 or 20 amino acid residues in length which occurs at the N-terminus of secretory and membrane-bound proteins and which contains at least about 70% hydrophobic amino acid residues such as alanine, leucine, isoleucine, phenylalanine, proline, tyrosine, tryptophan, or valine. In a preferred embodiment, a signal sequence contains at least about 10 to 40 amino acid residues, preferably about 19-34 amino acid residues, and has at least about 60-80%, more preferably 65-75%, and more preferably at least about 70% hydrophobic residues. A signal sequence serves to direct a protein containing such a sequence to a lipid bilayer. Thus, in one embodiment, a TANGO 253 protein contains a signal sequence of about amino acids 1 to 15 of SEQ ID NO:3 (SEQ ID NO:5) or about amino acids 1 to 15 of SEQ ID NO:10 (SEQ ID NO:12). In another embodiment, a TANGO 257 protein contains a signal sequence of about amino acids 1 to 21 of SEQ ID NO:17 (SEQ ID NO:19) or about amino acids 1 to 21 of SEQ ID NO:23 (SEQ ID NO:25). In another embodiment, an INTERCEPT 258 protein contains a signal sequence at about amino acids 1 to 29 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:30) or about amino acids 1 to 29 of SEQ ID NO:39 (SEQ ID NO:41). In yet another embodiment, a TANGO 281 protein contains a signal sequence of

about amino acids 1 to 38 of SEQ ID NO:48 (SEQ ID NO:49) or about amino acids 1 to 26 of SEQ ID NO:58 (SEQ ID NO:59). The signal sequence is cleaved during processing of the mature protein.

In one embodiment, TANGO 253 includes at least one RGD cell attachment site.

5 An RGD domain contains a contiguous arginine-glycine-aspartic acid amino acid sequence and is involved in cell-cell, cell-extracellular matrix and cell adhesion interactions. In a preferred embodiment, a TANGO 253 family member has the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3 and, preferably, a RGD cell attachment site is located at about amino acid positions 77 to 79.

10 TANGO 253 family members can also include a collagen domain. As used herein, the term "collagen domain" refers to a protein domain containing a G-X-Y amino acid repeat motif, wherein the first amino acid residue is glycine and the second and third amino acid residues can be any residue but are preferably proline or hydroxyproline. Typically, a collagen domain contains at least about 3 to 5 G-X-Y repeats, and can contain
15 about 3, 5, 8, 10, 12, 15, 20 or more continuous G-X-Y repeats. In one embodiment, a collagen domain can fold to form a triple helical structure.

In one embodiment, a TANGO 253 family member includes at least one collagen domain having an amino acid sequence that is at least about 40%, 50%, 60%, 70%, 80%, 90%, 95% or 98% identical to amino acids 36 to 95 of SEQ ID NO:3, which is the
20 collagen domain of human TANGO 253 (SEQ ID NO:6), or amino acids 36 to 95 of SEQ ID NO:10, which is the collagen domain of mouse TANGO 253 (SEQ ID NO:13), while maintaining a glycine residue at the first position of G-X-Y repeats within the domain to maintain at least 3, 5, 8, 10, 12, 15 or 20 contiguous G-X-Y repeats, or while most preferably maintaining a glycine repeat at the first position of each G-X-Y repeat within
25 the domain.

TANGO 253 family members can also include a C1q domain or at least one of the conserved amino acid motifs found therein. As used herein, the term "C1q domain" refers to a protein domain that bears homology to a C1q domain present within a member of the C1 enzyme complex. A C1q domain typically includes about 130-140 amino acid
30 residues. C1q domains are utilized in processes involving, *e.g.*, correct protein folding and alignment and protein-protein interactions.

In one embodiment, a TANGO 253 family member includes one or more C1q domains having an amino acid sequence that is at least 45%, preferably about 50%, 55%, 60%, 70%, 75%, 80%, 90%, 95% and most preferably at least about 98% identical to
35 amino acids 105 to 232 of SEQ ID NO:3, which is the human TANGO 253 C1q domain

(SEQ ID NO:7) or amino acids 105 to 232 of SEQ ID NO:10, which is the mouse TANGO 253 C1q domain (SEQ ID NO:14).

Embodiments of TANGO 253 family members include, but are not limited to, human, mouse and rat TANGO 253 nucleic acids and proteins. The features of the human and mouse TANGO 253 are described below. A cDNA encoding a rat TANGO 253 nucleotide sequence (SEQ ID NO:74), identified in clone jtrxa001e10t1, is 75.4% identical to human TANGO 253 (SEQ ID NO:1) in a 536 bp overlap. Further, the isolated rat TANGO 253 nucleotide sequence (SEQ ID NO:74) is 86% identical to mouse TANGO 253 (SEQ ID NO:9) in a 472 bp overlap.

Embodiments of TANGO 257 family members include, but are not limited to, human, mouse and rat TANGO 257 nucleic acids and proteins. The features of the human and mouse TANGO 257 are described below. A cDNA encoding a rat TANGO 257 nucleotide sequence (SEQ ID NO:75), identified within clone jtrxa102g06t1, is 83.8% identical to human TANGO 257 (SEQ ID NO:15) in a 734 bp overlap. Further, the isolated rat TANGO 257 nucleotide sequence (SEQ ID NO:75) is 88.4% identical to mouse TANGO 257 (SEQ ID NO:21) in a 731 bp overlap.

In one example, a TANGO 257 family member includes one or more of the following domains: (1) an extracellular domain; (2) a transmembrane domain; and (3) a cytoplasmic domain. In one embodiment, a TANGO 257 protein contains cytoplasmic domains of about amino residues 1 to 202 of SEQ ID NO:17 (SEQ ID NO:84) and about amino acid residues 338 to 406 of SEQ ID NO:17 (SEQ ID NO:92), transmembrane domains of about amino acid residues 203 to 221 of SEQ ID NO:17 (SEQ ID NO:86) and about amino acid residues 321 to 337 of SEQ ID NO:17 (SEQ ID NO:87), and an extracellular domain of about amino acid residues 222 to 320 of SEQ ID NO:17 (SEQ ID NO:88). In an alternative embodiment, a TANGO 257 protein contains an extracellular domain of about amino acid residues 1 to 320 of SEQ ID NO:17 (SEQ ID NO:89) or a mature extracellular domain of about amino acid residues 22 to 320 of SEQ ID NO:17 (SEQ ID NO:90), a transmembrane domain of about amino acid residues 321 to 337 of SEQ ID NO:17 (SEQ ID NO:87), and a cytoplasmic domain of about amino acid residues 338 to 406 of SEQ ID NO:17 (SEQ ID NO:92). In another embodiment, a mature TANGO 257 protein contains about amino acid residues 22 to 406 of SEQ ID NO:17 (SEQ ID NO:18).

In another embodiment, a TANGO 257 protein contains intracellular domains of about amino acid residues 1 to 202 of SEQ ID NO:23 (SEQ ID NO:93) and about amino acid residues 338 to 406 of SEQ ID NO:23 (SEQ ID NO:94), transmembrane domains of about amino acid residues 203 to 221 of SEQ ID NO:23 (SEQ ID NO:95) and about

amino acid residues 321 to 337 of SEQ ID NO:32 (SEQ ID NO:96), and an extracellular domain of about amino acid residues 222 to 320 of SEQ ID NO:23 (SEQ ID NO:97). In alternative embodiment, a TANGO 257 protein contains an extracellular domain of about amino acid residues 1 to 320 of SEQ ID NO:23 (SEQ ID NO:98) or a mature extracellular
5 domain of about amino acid residues 22 to 320 of SEQ ID NO:23 (SEQ ID NO:99), a transmembrane domain of about amino acid residues 321 to 337 of SEQ ID NO:25 (SEQ ID NO:96), and an intracellular domain of about amino acid residues 338 to 406 of SEQ ID NO:23 (SEQ ID NO:94). In another embodiment, a mature TANGO 257 protein contains about amino acid residues 22 to 406 of SEQ ID NO:23 (SEQ ID NO:24).

10 In another example, an INTERCEPT 258 family member includes one or more of the following domains: (1) an extracellular domain; (2) a transmembrane domain; and (3) a cytoplasmic domain. Thus, in one embodiment, an INTERCEPT 258 protein contains extracellular domains of about amino acid residues 1 to 206 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:81) or about amino acid residues 30 to 206 of SEQ ID NO: 28 (SEQ ID NO:76) and
15 about amino acid residues 272 to 370 of SEQ ID NO: 28 (SEQ ID NO:34), transmembrane domains of about amino acid residues 207 to 224 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:78) and about amino acid residues 247 to 271 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:33), and a cytoplasmic domain of about amino acid residues 225 to 246 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:79). In an alternative embodiment, an INTERCEPT 258 protein contains an
20 extracellular domain of about amino acid residues 272 to 370 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:34), a transmembrane domain of about amino acid residues 247 to 271 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:33), and a cytoplasmic domain of about amino acid residues 1 to 246 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:31) or a mature cytoplasmic domain of about amino acid residues 30 to 246 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:82). In accordance with these
25 embodiments, an INTERCEPT 258 protein is a mature protein containing an extracellular, transmembrane and cytoplasmic domain of about amino acids 30 to 370 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:29).

In another embodiment, an INTERCEPT 258 protein contains an extracellular domain of about amino acids 1 to 249 of SEQ ID NO:39 (SEQ ID NO:42), or a mature
30 extracellular domain of about amino acids 30 to 249 of SEQ ID NO:39 (SEQ ID NO:83). In another embodiment, an INTERCEPT 258 protein contains a transmembrane domain of about amino acids 250 to 274 of SEQ ID NO:39 (SEQ ID NO:44). In another embodiment, an INTERCEPT 258 protein contains a cytoplasmic domain of about amino acids 275 to 394 of SEQ ID NO:39 (SEQ ID NO:45). In accordance with these
35 embodiments, an INTERCEPT 258 protein is a mature protein containing an extracellular,

transmembrane and cytoplasmic domain of about 30 to 394 of SEQ ID NO:39 (SEQ ID NO:40).

INTERCEPT 258 family members can also include an immunoglobulin (Ig) domain contained within the extracellular domain. As used herein, the term "Ig domain" refers to a protein domain bearing homology to immunoglobulin superfamily members. An Ig domain includes about 30-90 amino acid residues, preferably about 40-80 amino acid residues, more preferably about 50-70 amino acid residues, still more preferably about 55-65 amino acid residues, and most preferably about 57 to 59 amino acid residues. In certain embodiments, an Ig domain contains a conserved cysteine residue within about 5 to 15 amino acid residues, preferably about 7 to 12 amino acid residues, and most preferably about 8 amino acid residues from its N-terminal end, and another conserved cysteine residue within about 1 to 5 amino acid residues, preferably about 2 to 4 amino acid residues, and most preferably about 3 amino acid residues from its C-terminal end.

An Ig domain typically has the following consensus sequence, beginning about 1 to 15 amino acid residues, more preferably about 3 to 10 amino acid residues, and most preferably about 5 amino acid residues from the C terminal end of the domain: (FY)-Xaa-C-Xaa-(VA)-COO-, wherein (FY) is either a phenylalanine or a tyrosine residue (preferably tyrosine), where "Xaa" is any amino acid, C is a cysteine residue, (VA) is either a valine or an alanine residue (preferably alanine), and COO- is the protein C terminus.

In one embodiment, an INTERCEPT 258 family member includes one or more Ig domains having an amino acid sequence that is at least about 55%, preferably at least about 65%, more preferably at least 75%, yet more preferably at least about 85%, and most preferably at least about 95% identical to amino acids 49 to 128 and/or amino acids 167 to 226 of SEQ ID NO:28, which are the Ig domains of human INTERCEPT 258 (these Ig domains are also represented as SEQ ID NO:35 and 36, respectively).

In another embodiment, an INTERCEPT 258 family member includes one or more Ig domains having an amino acid sequence that is at least about 55%, preferably at least about 65%, more preferably at least about 75%, yet more preferably at least about 85%, and most preferably at least about 95% identical to amino acids 167 to 226 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:36), includes a conserved cysteine residue about 8 residues downstream from the N-terminus of the Ig domain, and has one or more Ig domain consensus sequences described herein. In another embodiment, an INTERCEPT 258 family member includes one or more Ig domains having an amino acid sequence that is at least 55%, preferably at least about 65%, more preferably at least about 75%, yet more preferably at least about 85%, and most preferably at least about 95% identical to amino

acids 167 to 226 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:36), includes a conserved cysteine residue 8 residues downstream from the N-terminus of the Ig domain, has one or more Ig domain consensus sequences described herein, and has a conserved cysteine within the consensus sequence that forms a disulfide both with said first conserved cysteine. In yet
5 another embodiment, an INTERCEPT 258 family member includes one or more Ig domains having an amino acid sequence that is at least 55%, preferably at least about 65%, more preferably at least about 75%, yet more preferably at least about 85%, and most preferably at least about 95% identical to amino acids 167 to 226 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:36), includes a conserved cysteine residue 8 residues downstream from the N-
10 terminus of the Ig domain, has one or more Ig domain consensus sequences described herein, has a conserved cysteine within the consensus sequence that forms a disulfide both with said first conserved cysteine, and has at least one INTERCEPT 258 biological activity as described herein.

In a preferred embodiment, an INTERCEPT 258 family member has the amino
15 acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:28 wherein the aforementioned Ig conserved residues are located as follows: the N-terminal conserved cysteine residue is located at about amino acid position 174 (within the Ig domain SEQ ID NO:36) and the C-terminal conserved cysteine is located at about amino acid position 224 (within the Ig domain SEQ ID NO:36).

20 In another embodiment, an INTERCEPT 258 family member includes one or more Ig domains having an amino acid sequence that is at least about 55%, preferably at least about 65%, more preferably at least about 75%, yet more preferably at least about 85%, and most preferably at least about 95% identical to amino acids 170 to 229 of SEQ ID NO:39, which is the Ig domain of mouse INTERCEPT 258 (SEQ ID NO:71). In another
25 embodiment, an INTERCEPT 258 family member includes one or more Ig domains having an amino acid sequence that is at least about 55%, preferably at least about 65%, more preferably at least about 75%, yet more preferably at least about 85%, and most preferably at least about 95% identical to amino acids 170 to 229 of SEQ ID NO:39 (SEQ ID NO:71), includes a conserved cysteine residue about 8 residues downstream from the
30 N-terminus of the Ig domain, and has one or more Ig domain consensus sequences described herein, has a conserved cysteine within the consensus sequence that forms a disulfide both with said first conserved cysteine, and has at least one INTERCEPT 258 biological activity as described herein.

In a preferred embodiment, an INTERCEPT 258 family member has the amino
35 acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:39 wherein the aforementioned Ig domain conserved residues are located as follows: the N-terminal conserved cysteine residue is located at

about amino acid residue position 177 (within the Ig domain SEQ ID NO:71) and the C-terminal conserved cysteine residue is located at about amino acid position 227 (within the Ig domain SEQ ID NO:71).

In another example, a TANGO 281 family member consists of one or more of the following domains: (1) an extracellular domain; (2) a transmembrane domain; and (3) a cytoplasmic domain. In one embodiment, a TANGO 281 protein contains an extracellular domain at amino acids 1 to about 123 of SEQ ID NO:48 or a mature extracellular domain at about amino acid residues 39 to 123 of SEQ ID NO:48 (SEQ ID NO:51), a transmembrane domain at about amino acid residues 124 to 148 of SEQ ID NO:48 (SEQ ID NO:52), and a cytoplasmic domain at about amino acid residues 149 to 245 of SEQ ID NO:48 (SEQ ID NO:53). In another embodiment, a mature TANGO 281 protein contains about amino acid residues 39 to 245 of SEQ ID NO: 48 (SEQ ID NO: 50). In another embodiment, a TANGO 281 family contains an extracellular domain at amino acids 1 to about 112 of SEQ ID NO:58 or a mature extracellular domain at about amino acid residues 27 to 112 of SEQ ID NO:58 (SEQ ID NO:61), a transmembrane domain at about amino acid residues 113 to 137 of SEQ ID NO:78 (SEQ ID NO:62), and a cytoplasmic domain at about amino acid residues 138 to 213 of SEQ ID NO:78 (SEQ ID NO:63). In yet another embodiment, a mature TANGO 281 protein contains about amino acid residues 27 to 213 of SEQ ID NO: 58 (SEQ ID NO: 61).

In one embodiment, a TANGO 281 family member includes a signal sequence. In a preferred embodiment, a TANGO 281 family member has the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:48, and the signal sequence is located at about amino acids 1 to 38. In another preferred embodiment, a TANGO 281 family member has the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:58, and the signal sequence is located at about amino acids 1 to 26.

A photosystem II 10kd phosphoprotein (PSBH) domain has been identified in the TANGO 281 proteins. The domain is also present in the chloroplast gene PSBH that encodes a 9-10kDa thylakoid membrane protein (PSII-H) which is associated with photosystem II. In one embodiment, a TANGO 281 family member includes one or more PSBH domains having an amino acid sequence that is at least about 55%, preferably at least about 65%, more preferably at least 75%, yet more preferably at least about 85%, and most preferably at least about 95% identical to amino acids 41 to 90 and/or amino acids 127 to 182 of SEQ ID NO:48, which are the PSBH domains of human TANGO 281 (these PSBH domains are also represented as SEQ ID NO:54 and 55, respectively). In another embodiment, a TANGO 281 family member includes one or more PSBH domains having an amino acid sequence that is at least about 55%, preferably at least about 65%, more

preferably at least about 75%, yet more preferably at least about 85%, and most preferably at least about 95% identical to amino acids 41 to 90 and/or amino acids 127 to 182 of SEQ ID NO:48, which are the PSBH domains of human TANGO 281 (these PSBH domains are also represented as SEQ ID NO:54 and 55, respectively), includes one or more PSBH domain consensus sequences described herein, and has at least one TANGO 281 biological activity as described herein.

In another embodiment, a TANGO 281 family member includes one or more PSBH domains having an amino acid sequence that is at least about 55%, preferably at least about 65%, more preferably at least 75%, yet more preferably at least about 85%, and most preferably at least about 95% to 98% identical to amino acids 42 to 91 and/or amino acids 128 to 183 of SEQ ID NO:58, which are the PSBH domains of mouse TANGO 281 (these PSBH domains are also represented as SEQ ID NO:64 and 65, respectively). In another embodiment, a TANGO 281 family member includes one or more PSBH domains having an amino acid sequence that is at least about 55%, preferably at least about 65%, more preferably at least about 75%, yet more preferably at least about 85%, and most preferably at least about 95% identical to amino acids 42 to 91 and/or amino acids 128 to 183 of SEQ ID NO:58, which are the PSBH domains of mouse TANGO 281 (these PSBH domains are also represented as SEQ ID NO:64 and 65, respectively), includes one or more PSBH domain consensus sequences described herein, and has at least one TANGO 281 biological activity as described herein.

Various features of human and mouse TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 and TANGO 281 are summarized below.

Human TANGO 253

A cDNA encoding human TANGO 253 was identified by analyzing the sequences of clones present in a coronary artery smooth muscle library for sequences that encode secreted proteins. The primary cells utilized in construction of the library had been stimulated with agents that included phorbol 12-myristate 13-acetate (PMA), tumor necrosis factor (TNF), ionomycin, and cyclohexamide (CHX). This analysis led to the identification of a clone, Athma27h9, encoding full-length human TANGO 253. The human TANGO 253 cDNA of this clone is 1339 nucleotides long (Figures 1A-1B; SEQ ID NO:1). The open reading frame of this cDNA, nucleotides 188 to 916 of SEQ ID NO:1 (SEQ ID NO:2), encodes a 243 amino acid secreted protein (Figures 1A-1B; SEQ ID NO:3).

Figure 2 depicts a hydropathy plot of human TANGO 253. Relatively hydrophobic regions of the protein are shown above the horizontal line, and relatively

hydrophilic regions of the protein are below the horizontal line. The cysteine residues (cys) are indicated by short vertical lines just below the hydropathy trace. The dashed vertical line separates the signal sequence (amino acids 1 to 15 of SEQ ID NO:3; SEQ ID NO:5) on the left from the mature protein (amino acids 15 to 243 of SEQ ID NO:3; SEQ ID NO:4) on the right.

The signal peptide prediction program SIGNALP (Nielsen et al., 1997, *Protein Engineering* 10:1-6) predicted that human TANGO 253 includes a 15 amino acid signal peptide (amino acid 1 to amino acid 15 of SEQ ID NO:3; SEQ ID NO:5) preceding the mature human TANGO 253 protein (corresponding to amino acid 16 to amino acid 243 of SEQ ID NO:3; SEQ ID NO:4). The molecular weight of TANGO 253 protein without post-translational modifications is 25.3 kDa prior to the cleavage of the signal peptide, 23.8 kDa after cleavage of the signal peptide.

Human TANGO 253 includes a collagen domain (at about amino acids 36 to 95 of SEQ ID NO:3; SEQ ID NO:6) and a C1q domain (at about amino acids 105 to 232 of SEQ ID NO:3; SEQ ID NO:7) containing 23 G-X-Y repeats. An RGD cell attachment site is found at amino acids 77 to 79 of SEQ ID NO:3.

Three protein kinase C phosphorylation sites are present in human TANGO 253. The first has the sequence SAK (at amino acids 107 to 109 of SEQ ID NO:3), the second has the sequence TGK (at amino acids 140 to 142 of SEQ ID NO:3), and the third has the sequence SIK (at amino acids 220 to 222 of SEQ ID NO:3). Human TANGO 253 has three N-myristylation sites. The first has the sequence GLAAGS (at amino acids 11 to 16 of SEQ ID NO:3), the second has the sequence GGRPGL (at amino acids 68 to 73 of SEQ ID NO:3) and the third has the sequence GIYASI (at amino acids 216 to 221 of SEQ ID NO:3).

Northern analysis of human TANGO 253 expression demonstrates strong expression in heart, lung, liver, kidney and pancreas, and moderate expression in brain, placenta and skeletal muscle. Liver expression reveals two human TANGO mRNA bands, one of approximately 1.3kb (which is the size observed in the other tissues) as well as a band at approximately 1kb, which may be the result of an alternative splicing event.

Secretion assays reveal a human TANGO 253 protein of approximately 30kDa. The secretion assays were performed as follows: 8×10^5 293T cells were plated per well in a 6-well plate and the cells were incubated in growth medium (DMEM, 10% fetal bovine serum, penicillin/streptomycin) at 37°C, 5% CO₂ overnight. 293T cells were transfected with 2 µg of full-length TANGO 253 inserted in the pMET7 vector/well and 10 µg LipofectAMINE (GIBCO/BRL Cat. # 18324-012) /well according to the protocol for GIBCO/BRL LipofectAMINE. The transfectant was removed 5 hours later and fresh

growth medium was added to allow the cells to recover overnight. The medium was removed and each well was gently washed twice with DMEM without methionine and cysteine (ICN Cat. # 16-424-54). 1 ml DMEM without methionine and cysteine with 50 μ Ci Trans-³⁵S (ICN Cat. # 51006) was added to each well and the cells were incubated at 37°C, 5% CO₂ for the appropriate time period. A 150 μ l aliquot of conditioned medium was obtained and 150 μ l of 2X SDS sample buffer was added to the aliquot. The sample was heat-inactivated and loaded on a 4-20% SDS-PAGE gel. The gel was fixed and the presence of secreted protein was detected by autoradiography.

TANGO 253 exhibits homology to an adipocyte complement-mediated protein precursor and so may be involved in adipocyte function, e.g., may act as a signaling molecule for adipocyte tissue. Figure 6A shows an alignment of the human TANGO 253 amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO:3) with the human adipocyte complement-mediated protein precursor amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO:20). The alignment shows that there is a 38.7% overall amino acid sequence identity between human TANGO 253 and human adipocyte complement-mediated protein precursor.

Figures 7A-7C shows an alignment of the nucleotide sequence of human adipocyte complement-mediated protein precursor nucleotide sequence (SEQ ID NO:32); GenBank Accession Number A1417523) and the nucleotide sequence of human TANGO 253 (SEQ ID NO:1). The alignment shows a 29.1% overall sequence identity between the two nucleotide sequences.

The human TANGO 253 nucleotide sequence was mapped to human chromosome 11, between flanking markers D11S1356 and D11S924 using the Genebridge 4 Human Radiation hybrid mapping panel with CAAAGTGAGCTCATGCTCTCAC (SEQ ID NO:193) as the forward primer and CTCTGGTCTTGGGCAGAAATC (SEQ ID NO:194) as the reverse primer.

Clone EpT253, which encodes human TANGO 253, was deposited with the American Type Culture Collection (10801 University Boulevard, Manassas, VA 20110-2209) on April 21, 1999 and assigned Accession Number 207222. This deposit will be maintained under the terms of the Budapest Treaty on the International Recognition of the Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purposes of Patent Procedure. This deposit was made merely as a convenience for those of skill in the art and is not an admission that a deposit is required under 35 U.S.C. §112.

Mouse TANGO 253

A cDNA encoding mouse TANGO 253 was identified by analyzing the sequences of clones present in a mouse microglia library using a rat TANGO 253 probe from sciatic

nerve. This analysis led to the identification of a clone, AtmXale1075, encoding full-length mouse TANGO 253. The mouse TANGO 253 cDNA of this clone is 1263 nucleotides long (Figures 3A-3B; SEQ ID NO:8). The open reading frame of this cDNA, nucleotides 135 to 863 of SEQ ID NO:8 (SEQ ID NO:9), encodes a 243 amino acid
 5 secreted protein (Figures 3A-3B; SEQ ID NO:10).

Figure 4 depicts a hydropathy plot of mouse TANGO 253. Relatively hydrophobic regions of the protein are shown above the horizontal line, and relatively hydrophilic regions of the protein are below the horizontal line. The cysteine residues (cys) are indicated by short vertical lines just below the hydropathy trace. The dashed vertical line
 10 separates the signal sequence (amino acid 1 to amino acid 15 of SEQ ID NO:10; SEQ ID NO:12) on the left from the mature protein (amino acid 16 to amino acid 243 of SEQ ID NO:10; SEQ ID NO:11) on the right.

The signal peptide prediction program SIGNALP (Nielsen et al., 1997, Protein Engineering 10:1-6) predicted that mouse TANGO 253 includes a 15 amino acid signal
 15 peptide (amino acid 1 to amino acid 15 of SEQ ID NO:10; SEQ ID NO:12) preceding the mature mouse TANGO 253 protein (corresponding to amino acid 16 to amino acid 243 of SEQ ID NO:10; SEQ ID NO:11). The molecular weight of mouse TANGO 253 protein without post-translational modifications is 25.4 kDa prior to the cleavage of the signal peptide, 23.9 kDa after cleavage of the signal peptide.

20 Mouse TANGO 253 includes a collagen domain (at amino acids 36 to 95 of SEQ ID NO:10; SEQ ID NO:13) and a C1q domain (at amino acids 105-232 of SEQ ID NO:10; SEQ ID NO:14).

Three protein kinase C phosphorylation sites are present in mouse TANGO 253. The first has the sequence SAK (at amino acids 107 to 109 of SEQ ID NO:10), the second
 25 has the sequence TGK (at amino acids 140 to 142 of SEQ ID NO:10), and the third has the sequence SIK (at amino acids 220 to 222 of SEQ ID NO:10). Mouse TANGO 253 has four N-myristylation sites. The first has the sequence GLVSGS (at amino acids 11 to 16 of SEQ ID NO:10), the second has the sequence GGRPGL (at amino acids 68 to 73 of SEQ ID NO:10), the third has the sequence GQSIAS (at amino acids 172 to 177 of SEQ
 30 ID NO:10), and the fourth has the sequence GIYASI (at amino acids 216 to 221 of SEQ ID NO:10).

As shown in Figure 5, human TANGO 253 protein and mouse TANGO 253 protein are 93.8% identical. Figure 6B shows an alignment of the mouse TANGO 253 amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO:10) with the human adipocyte complement-mediated
 35 protein precursor amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO:20). The alignment shows that there

is a 38.3% overall amino acid sequence identity between mouse TANGO 253 and human adipocyte complement-mediated protein precursor.

Figures 8A-8C shows an alignment of the nucleotide sequence of human adipocyte complement-mediated protein precursor nucleotide sequence (SEQ ID NO:32); GenBank
5 Accession Number A1417523) and the nucleotide sequence of mouse TANGO 253 (SEQ ID NO:8). The alignment shows a 30.4% overall sequence identity between the two nucleotide sequences.

In situ tissue screening was performed on mouse embryonic tissue (obtained from embryos at embryonic day 13.5 to postnatal day 1.5) and adult tissue to determine the
10 expression of mouse TANGO 253 mRNA. Expression of mouse TANGO 253 during embryogenesis was ubiquitously expressed throughout the central nervous system. Strong expression of mouse TANGO 253 was detected in choroid plexus of the fourth ventricle of E18.5 and E1.5 embryos examined. Expression of mouse TANGO 253 was also detected in the lungs of E14.5 and E15.5 embryos and in the kidneys of E15.5 embryos.

15 Mouse TANGO 253 expression was detected by *in situ* hybridization in the following adult tissues: a signal was detected in the brain in the choroid plexus of the lateral and 4th ventricles, and the olfactory bulb; a signal was detected in the cortical region of the kidney consistent with the pattern of glomeruli (in particular, the cortical radial veins); a ubiquitous signal was detected in the thymus; a weak, ubiquitous signal
20 was detected in the spleen; a moderate signal was associated with the seminiferous vesicles of the testes; a signal was detected in the ovaries; and a ubiquitous signal restricted to the zone of giant cells was detected in the placenta.

Clone EpTm253, which encodes mouse TANGO 253, was deposited with the American Type Culture Collection (10801 University Boulevard, Manassas, VA 20110-
25 2209) on April 21, 1999 and assigned Accession Number 207215. This deposit will be maintained under the terms of the Budapest Treaty on the International Recognition of the Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purposes of Patent Procedure. This deposit was made merely as a convenience for those of skill in the art and is not an admission that a deposit is required under 35 U.S.C. §112.

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Uses of TANGO 253 Nucleic acids, Polypeptides, and Modulators Thereof

As TANGO 253 was originally found in the coronary artery smooth muscle library described above, TANGO 253 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can be used to modulate the proliferation, development, differentiation, and/or function of organs, *e.g.*,
35 tissues and cells that form blood vessels and coronary tissue, *e.g.*, cells of the coronary connective tissue, *e.g.*, abnormal coronary smooth muscle cells and/or endothelial cells of

blood vessels. TANGO 253 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can also be used to modulate symptoms associated with abnormal coronary function, *e.g.*, heart diseases and disorders such as atherosclerosis, coronary artery disease and plaque formation.

5 In light of the collagen domain, TANGO 253 nucleic acids, proteins and modulators thereof can be utilized to modulate (*e.g.*, stabilize, promote, inhibit or disrupt) cell/extracellular matrix (ECM) interactions, cell/cell interactions and, for example, signal transduction events associated with such interactions. For example, such TANGO 253 compositions and modulators thereof can be used to modulate binding of such ECM-
10 associated factors as integrin and can function to modulate ligand binding to cell surface receptors. In addition, TANGO 253 nucleic acids, proteins and modulators thereof can be utilized to modulate connective tissue formation, maintenance and function, as well as to modulate symptoms associated with connective tissue-related disorders, to promote wound healing, and to reduce, slow or inhibit ameliorate connective tissue-related signs of aging,
15 such as wrinkle formation.

 In light of the C1q domain exhibited by TANGO 253 proteins and their similarity to the collectin family, TANGO 253 nucleic acids, proteins and modulators thereof can be utilized to modulate immune-related processes such as the ability to modulate host
20 immune response by, *e.g.*, modulating one or more elements in the serum complement cascade, including, for example activation of the cascade, formation of and/or binding to immune complexes, detection and defense against surface antigens and bacteria, and immune surveillance for rapid removal or pathogens. Such TANGO 253 compositions and modulators thereof can be utilized, *e.g.*, to ameliorate incidence of any symptoms associated with disorders that involve such immune-related processes, including, but not
25 limited to infection and autoimmune disorders.

 In addition, such compositions and modulators thereof can be utilized to modulate folding and alignment of the collagen domain (*e.g.*, into a triple helix), disorders associated with collagen defects, including but not limited to bone disorders, *e.g.*, bone resorption disorders, or hearing, *e.g.*, inner ear, disorders, to modulate protein-protein
30 interactions and recognition events (either homotypic or heterotypic) and cellular response events (*e.g.*, signal transduction events) associated with such interactions and recognitions, and to ameliorate symptoms associated with abnormal signaling, protein-protein interaction and/or cellular response events including, but not limited to cell proliferation disorders such as cancer, abnormal neuronal interactions, such as disorders involving
35 abnormal synaptic activity, *e.g.*, abnormal Purkinje cell activities.

Human TANGO 253 protein contains an RGD domain. As such, TANGO 253 nucleic acids, proteins and modulators thereof can be utilized to modulate processes involved in, *e.g.*, bone development, sepsis, tumor progression, metastasis, cell migration, fertilization, and cellular interactions with the extracellular matrix required for growth, differentiation, and apoptosis, as well as cellular processes involving cell adhesion, such as cell migration.

TANGO 253 proteins exhibit similarity to adipocyte complement-related protein precursor and can act as signaling molecules for adipocyte tissue. In light of this, TANGO 253 nucleic acids, proteins and modulators thereof can be utilized to modulate adipocyte function and adipocyte-related processes and disorders such as, *e.g.*, obesity.

TANGO 253 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can also be utilized to modulate the development, differentiation, maturation, proliferation and/or activity of cells of the central nervous system such as neurons, glial cells (*e.g.*, astrocytes and oligodendrocytes), and Schwann cells. TANGO 253 nucleic acids, polypeptides, or modulators thereof can also be used to treat disorders of the brain, such as cerebral edema, hydrocephalus, brain herniations, iatrogenic disease (due to, *e.g.*, infection, toxins, or drugs), inflammations (*e.g.*, bacterial and viral meningitis, encephalitis, and cerebral toxoplasmosis), cerebrovascular diseases (*e.g.*, hypoxia, ischemia, and infarction, intracranial hemorrhage and vascular malformations, and hypertensive encephalopathy), tumors (*e.g.*, neuroglial tumors, neuronal tumors, tumors of pineal cells, meningeal tumors, primary and secondary lymphomas, intracranial tumors, and medulloblastoma), and to treat injury or trauma to the brain.

TANGO 253 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can also be utilized to treat renal (kidney) disorders, such as glomerular diseases (*e.g.*, acute and chronic glomerulonephritis, rapidly progressive glomerulonephritis, nephrotic syndrome, focal proliferative glomerulonephritis, glomerular lesions associated with systemic disease, such as systemic lupus erythematosus, Goodpasture's syndrome, multiple myeloma, diabetes, polycystic kidney disease, neoplasia, sickle cell disease, and chronic inflammatory diseases), tubular diseases (*e.g.*, acute tubular necrosis and acute renal failure, polycystic renal disease, medullary sponge kidney, medullary cystic disease, nephrogenic diabetes, and renal tubular acidosis), tubulointerstitial diseases (*e.g.*, pyelonephritis, drug and toxin induced tubulointerstitial nephritis, hypercalcemic nephropathy, and hypokalemic nephropathy), acute and rapidly progressive renal failure, chronic renal failure, nephrolithiasis, gout, vascular diseases (*e.g.*, hypertension and nephrosclerosis, microangiopathic hemolytic anemia, atheroembolic renal disease, diffuse cortical necrosis, and renal infarcts), or tumors (*e.g.*, renal cell carcinoma and nephroblastoma).

TANGO 253 nucleic acids, proteins and modulators thereof can, in addition to the above, be utilized to regulate or modulate development and/or differentiation of processes involved in microglial, lung, liver, kidney, pancreas, brain, placental and skeletal muscle formation and activity, as well as in ameliorating any symptom associated with a disorder of such cell types, tissues and organs.

TANGO 253 expression can be utilized as a marker (*e.g.*, an *in situ* marker) for specific tissues (*e.g.*, the brain) and/or cells (*e.g.*, neurons) in which TANGO 253 is expressed. TANGO 253 nucleic acids can also be utilized for chromosomal mapping.

10 Human TANGO 257

A cDNA encoding human TANGO 257 was identified by analyzing the sequences of clones present in a coronary smooth muscle library for sequences that encode secreted proteins. This analysis led to the identification of a clone, Athma7c10, encoding full-length human TANGO 257. The human TANGO 257 cDNA of this clone is 1832 nucleotides long (Figures 9A-9B; SEQ ID NO:15). The open reading frame of this cDNA, nucleotides 88 to 1305 of SEQ ID NO:15 (SEQ ID NO:16), encodes a 406 amino acid secreted protein (Figures 9A-9B; SEQ ID NO:17).

Figure 10 depicts a hydropathy plot of human TANGO 257. Relatively hydrophobic regions of the protein are above the horizontal line, and relatively hydrophilic regions of the protein are below the horizontal line. The cysteine residues (cys) and N-glycosylation sites are (Ngly) are indicated by short vertical lines just below the hydropathy trace. The dashed vertical line separates the signal sequence from the mature protein described below.

The signal peptide prediction program SIGNALP (Nielsen et al., 1997, *Protein Engineering* 10:1-6) predicted that human TANGO 257 includes a 21 amino acid signal peptide (amino acid 1 to amino acid 21 of SEQ ID NO:17; SEQ ID NO:19) preceding the mature human TANGO 257 protein (corresponding to amino acid 22 to amino acid 406 of SEQ ID NO:17; SEQ ID NO:18). The molecular weight of human TANGO 257 protein without post-translational modifications is 46.0 kDa prior to the cleavage of the signal peptide, 43.8 kDa after cleavage of the signal peptide.

Two N-glycosylation sites are present in human TANGO 257. The first has the sequence NDTA and is found at amino acids 177 to 180 of SEQ ID NO:17, and the second has the sequence NRTV and is found at amino acids 248 to 251 of SEQ ID NO:17. A cAMP and cGMP dependent protein kinase phosphorylation site having the sequence RKAS is found in human TANGO 257 at amino acids 196 to 199 of SEQ ID NO:17. Five protein kinase C phosphorylation sites are present in human TANGO 257. The first has

the sequence SSR (at amino acids 48 to 50 of SEQ ID NO:17), the second has the sequence SGR (at amino acids 84 to 86 of SEQ ID NO:17), the third has the sequence SMK (at amino acids 144 to 146 of SEQ ID NO:17), the fourth has the sequence TEK (at amino acids 166 to 168 of SEQ ID NO:17) and the fifth has the sequence SLR (at amino acids 374 to 376 of SEQ ID NO:17). Five casein kinase II phosphorylation sites are present in human TANGO 257. The first has the sequence TEAD (at amino acids 78 to 81 of SEQ ID NO:17), the second has the sequence TQND (at amino acids 175 to 178 of SEQ ID NO:17), the third has the sequence TVVD (at amino acids 250 to 253 of SEQ ID NO:17), the fourth has the sequence TYID (at amino acids 272 to 275 of SEQ ID NO:17), and the fifth has the sequence TRED (at amino acids 289 to 292 of SEQ ID NO:17). Human TANGO 257 has a tyrosine kinase phosphorylation site having the sequence RLREVDY at amino acids 89 to 96 of SEQ ID NO:17). Human TANGO 257 has three N-myristylation sites. The first has the sequence GGPGTK (at amino acids 115 to 120 of SEQ ID NO:17), the second has the sequence GGPAGL (at amino acids 152 to 157 of SEQ ID NO:17) and the third has the sequence GAHASL (at amino acids 370 to 375 of SEQ ID NO:17). Human TANGO 257 has an amidation site having the sequence KGRR at amino acids 122 to 125 of SEQ ID NO:17.

Northern analysis of human TANGO 257 expression demonstrates moderate expression in heart, liver and pancreas, and low expression in kidney, lung and skeletal muscle.

Secretion assays reveal a human TANGO 257 protein of approximately 50kDa. The secretion assays were performed as described in the human TANGO 253 section above.

The human TANGO 257 nucleotide sequence was mapped to human chromosome 1 using the Genebridge 4 Human Radiation hybrid mapping panel with GGATGATGG CTACCAGATTGTC (SEQ ID NO:195) as the forward primer and GGAACATTGAGGGTTTGGACTC (SEQ ID NO:196) as the reverse primer.

TANGO 257 is homologous to a protein encoded by a nucleic acid sequence referred to in PCT Publication WO 98/39446 as "gene 64". Figure 14 shows an alignment of the human TANGO 257 amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO:17) with the gene 64 encoded amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO:43). As shown in the figure, the 353 amino acid gene 64 polypeptide is identical to amino acid residues 1-353 of human TANGO 257 (SEQ ID NO:17). Human TANGO 257 contains 406 amino acids, *i.e.*, contains an additional 53 amino acid residues carboxy to residue 353. The overall amino acid sequence identity between full-length human TANGO 257 polypeptide and the gene 64-encoded polypeptide is approximately 87%.

Figures 15A-15D show an alignment of the nucleotide sequence of gene 64 (SEQ ID NO:66; PCT Publication WO 98/39446) and the nucleotide sequence of human TANGO 257 (SEQ ID NO:15). The nucleotide sequences of gene 64 and human TANGO 257 are 93.5% identical. Among the differences between the sequences is a cytosine nucleotide at human TANGO 257 (SEQ ID NO:15) position 1587 that represents an insertion relative to the corresponding gene 64 position when the gene 64 and TANGO 257 sequences are aligned. This additional cytosine results in the TANGO 257 open reading frame being 1218 base pairs encoding a polypeptide of 406 amino acid residues. In contrast, the gene 64 nucleic acid sequence encodes a polypeptide of only 353 amino acid residues, as discussed above.

Clone EpT257, which encodes human TANGO 257, was deposited with the American Type Culture Collection (10801 University Boulevard, Manassas, VA 20110-2209) on April 21, 1999 and assigned Accession Number 207222. This deposit will be maintained under the terms of the Budapest Treaty on the International Recognition of the Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purposes of Patent Procedure. This deposit was made merely as a convenience for those of skill in the art and is not an admission that a deposit is required under 35 U.S.C. §112.

Mouse TANGO 257

A cDNA encoding mouse TANGO 257 was identified by analyzing the sequences of clones present in a mouse microglia library using a rat TANGO 257 probe. This analysis led to the identification of a clone, Atmua102gbl, encoding full-length mouse TANGO 257. The mouse TANGO 257 cDNA of this clone is 1721 nucleotides long (Figures 11A-11B; SEQ ID NO:21). The open reading frame of this cDNA, nucleotides 31 to 1248 of SEQ ID NO:21 (SEQ ID NO:22), encodes a 406 amino acid secreted protein (Figures 11A-11B; SEQ ID NO:23).

Figure 12 depicts a hydropathy plot of mouse TANGO 257. Relatively hydrophobic regions of the protein are above the horizontal line, relatively hydrophilic regions of the protein are below the horizontal line. The cysteine residues (cys) and N-glycosylation sites are (Ngly) are indicated by short vertical lines just below the hydropathy trace. The dashed vertical line separates the signal sequence from the mature protein described below.

The signal peptide prediction program SIGNALP (Nielsen et al., 1997, Protein Engineering 10:1-6) predicted that mouse TANGO 257 includes a 21 amino acid signal peptide (amino acid 1 to amino acid 21 of SEQ ID NO:23; SEQ ID NO:25) preceding the mature TANGO 257 protein (corresponding to amino acid 22 to amino acid 406 of SEQ

ID NO:23; (SEQ ID NO:24). The molecular weight of mouse TANGO 257 protein without post-translational modifications is 45.8 kDa prior to the cleavage of the signal peptide, 43.6 kDa after cleavage of the signal peptide.

Two N-glycosylation sites are present in mouse TANGO 257. The first has the sequence NDTA and is found at amino acids 177 to 180 of SEQ ID NO:23, and the second has the sequence NRTV and is found at amino acids 248 to 251 of SEQ ID NO:23. A cAMP and cGMP-dependent protein kinase phosphorylation site having the sequence RKAS is found in mouse TANGO 257 at amino acids 196 to 199 of SEQ ID NO:23. Five protein kinase C phosphorylation sites are present in mouse TANGO 257. The first has the sequence SSR (at amino acids 48 to 50 of SEQ ID NO:23), the second has the sequence TLR (at amino acids 75 to 77 of SEQ ID NO:23), the third has the sequence SGR (at amino acids 84 to 86 of SEQ ID NO:23), the fourth has the sequence SMK (at amino acids 144 to 146 of SEQ ID NO:23) and the fifth has the sequence SLR (at amino acids 374 to 376 of SEQ ID NO:23). Five casein kinase II phosphorylation sites are present in mouse TANGO 257. The first has the sequence TEAD (at amino acids 78 to 81 of SEQ ID NO:23), the second has the sequence TQND (at amino acids 175 to 178 of SEQ ID NO:23), the third has the sequence TVVD (at amino acids 250 to 253 of SEQ ID NO:23), the fourth has the sequence TYID (at amino acids 272 to 275 of SEQ ID NO:23), and the fifth has the sequence TRRD (at amino acids 289 to 292 of SEQ ID NO:23). Mouse TANGO 257 has a tyrosine kinase phosphorylation site having the sequence RLREVDY at amino acids 89 to 96 of SEQ ID NO:23. Mouse TANGO 257 has four N-myristylation sites. The first has the sequence GGPGAK (at amino acids 115 to 120 of SEQ ID NO:23), the second has the sequence GGSVGL (at amino acids 151 to 157 of SEQ ID NO:23), the third has the sequence GGPGGG (at amino acids 227 to 232 of SEQ ID NO:23), and the fourth has the sequence GAHASL (at amino acids 370 to 375 of SEQ ID NO:23). Mouse TANGO 257 has an amidation site having the sequence KGRR at amino acids 122 to 125 of SEQ ID NO:23.

As shown in Figure 13, human TANGO 257 protein and mouse TANGO 257 protein are 94.1% identical.

Figure 16 shows an alignment of mouse TANGO 257 amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO:23) with the amino acid sequence encoded by gene 64 (SEQ ID NO:43). As shown in the figure, the 253 amino acid gene 64 polypeptide and the 406 amino acid mouse TANGO 257 polypeptide are approximately 82% identical. Figures 17A-17C show an alignment of the nucleotide sequence of gene 64 (SEQ ID NO:66; PCT publication no. 98/39446) and the nucleotide

sequence of mouse TANGO 257 (SEQ ID NO:21). As shown in the figure, the two nucleotide sequences are approximately 76% identical.

In situ tissue screening was performed on mouse adult tissues and embryonic tissues (obtained from embryos E13.5 to P1.5) to analyze for the expression of mouse
5 TANGO 257 mRNA. Mouse TANGO 257 expression was detected the following adult tissues: the submandibular gland; the renal papilla region of the kidney; the capsule region of the adrenal gland; and the labyrinth zone of the placenta.

In the case of embryonic expression, mouse TANGO 257 expression was detected in the bones, lungs, intestines, and kidneys. At E13.5, a signal was detected in many
10 tissues including the developing bone structures such as the vertebrae, of the spinal column, jaw, and scapula. At E14.5, the signal pattern was very similar to that detected at E13.5. At 15.5, a signal was detected in all major bone structures, including the skull, basisphenoid bone, upper and lower incisor teeth, vertebral column, sternum, scapula, and femur. A ubiquitous signal was also detected in the lung, kidney, and intestinal tract. At
15 16.5 and 18.5, the signal is very similar to that detected at E15.5. At P1.5, a signal was still detected in all of the major bone structures and signal detected in the lung, kidney, and intestines has dropped to nearly background levels.

Clone EpTm257, which encodes mouse TANGO 257, was deposited with the American Type Culture Collection (10801 University Boulevard, Manassas, VA 20110-
20 2209) on April 21, 1999 and assigned Accession Number 207117. This deposit will be maintained under the terms of the Budapest Treaty on the International Recognition of the Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purposes of Patent Procedure. This deposit was made merely as a convenience for those of skill in the art and is not an admission that a deposit is required under 35 U.S.C. §112.

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Uses of TANGO 257 Nucleic acids, Polypeptides, and Modulators Thereof

As TANGO 257 was originally found in a coronary artery smooth muscle library, TANGO 257 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can be used to modulate the proliferation, development, differentiation, and/or function of organs, *e.g.*, heart, tissues
30 and cells that form blood vessels and coronary tissue, *e.g.*, cells of the coronary connective tissue, *e.g.*, coronary smooth muscle cells and/or endothelial cells of blood vessels. TANGO 257 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can also be used to modulate symptoms associated with abnormal coronary function, *e.g.*, heart diseases and disorders such as atherosclerosis, coronary artery disease and plaque formation.

35 In light of TANGO 257's homology to the extracellular molecule olfactomedin, TANGO 257 nucleic acids, proteins and modulators thereof can be utilized to modulate

development, differentiation, proliferation and/or activity of neuronal cells, *e.g.*, olfactory neurons and to modulate neuronal activities involving maintenance, growth and/or differentiation of chemosensory cilia, modulate cell-cell interactions and cell-ECM interactions, *e.g.*, neuronal (such as olfactory) cell-ECM interactions. TANGO 257

5 nucleic acids, proteins and modulations thereof can also be used to modulate symptoms associated with abnormal processes involving such cells and/or activities, for example neuronal function, *e.g.*, neurological disorders, neurodegenerative disorders, neuromuscular disorders, cognitive disorders, personality disorders, and motor disorders, and chemosensory disorders, such as olfactory-related disorders.

10 TANGO 257 exhibits homology to a gene referred to as "gene 64" (PCT Publication No. WO 98/39446), which is expressed primarily in fetal lung tissue. In light of this, TANGO 257 nucleic acids, proteins and modulators thereof can also be used to modulate development, differentiation, proliferation and/or activity of pulmonary system cells, *e.g.*, lung cell types, and to modulate a symptom associated with disorders of

15 pulmonary development, differentiation and/or activity, *e.g.*, cystic fibrosis. TANGO 257 nucleic acids, proteins and modulators thereof can also be used to modulate symptoms associated with abnormal pulmonary development or function, such as lung diseases or disorders associated with abnormal pulmonary development or function, *e.g.*, cystic fibrosis. TANGO 257 nucleic acids, polypeptides, or modulators thereof can be used to

20 treat pulmonary (lung) disorders, such as atelectasis, cystic fibrosis, rheumatoid lung disease, pulmonary congestion or edema, chronic obstructive airway disease (*e.g.*, emphysema, chronic bronchitis, bronchial asthma, and bronchiectasis), diffuse interstitial diseases (*e.g.*, sarcoidosis, pneumoconiosis, hypersensitivity pneumonitis, bronchiolitis, Goodpasture's syndrome, idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis, idiopathic pulmonary

25 hemosiderosis, pulmonary alveolar proteinosis, desquamative interstitial pneumonitis, chronic interstitial pneumonia, fibrosing alveolitis, hamman-rich syndrome, pulmonary eosinophilia, diffuse interstitial fibrosis, Wegener's granulomatosis, lymphomatoid granulomatosis, and lipid pneumonia), or tumors (*e.g.*, bronchogenic carcinoma, bronchioloalveolar carcinoma, bronchial carcinoid, hamartoma, and mesenchymal

30 tumors).

TANGO 257 nucleic acids, proteins and modulators thereof can also be used to modulate cell proliferation, *e.g.*, abnormal cell proliferation. Such modulation may, for example, be via modulation of one or more elements involved in signal transduction cascades.

35 TANGO 257 nucleic acids, proteins and modulators thereof can also be utilized to modulate the development, differentiation, maturation, proliferation and/or activity of

bone cells such as osteocytes, and to treat bone associated diseases or disorders. Examples of bone diseases and disorders include bone injury due to for example, trauma (*e.g.*, bone breakage, cartilage tearing), degeneration (*e.g.*, osteoporosis), degeneration of joints, *e.g.*, arthritis, *e.g.*, osteoarthritis, and bone wearing. Further, TANGO 257 nucleic acids, proteins and modulators thereof can be utilized to modulate or regulate the development of bone structures such as the skull, the basisphenoid bone, the upper and lower incisor teeth, the vertebral column, the sternum, the scapula, and the femur during embryogenesis.

TANGO 257 nucleic acids, proteins and modulators thereof can, in addition to the above, be utilized to regulate or modulate development and/or differentiation of processes involved in microglial, liver, kidney, and skeletal muscle formation and activity, as well as in ameliorating a symptom associated with a disorder of such cell types, tissues and organs.

TANGO 257 nucleic acids, polypeptides, or modulators thereof can also be used to treat renal (kidney) disorders, such as glomerular diseases (*e.g.*, acute and chronic glomerulonephritis, rapidly progressive glomerulonephritis, nephrotic syndrome, focal proliferative glomerulonephritis, glomerular lesions associated with systemic disease, such as systemic lupus erythematosus, Goodpasture's syndrome, multiple myeloma, diabetes, polycystic kidney disease, neoplasia, sickle cell disease, and chronic inflammatory diseases), tubular diseases (*e.g.*, acute tubular necrosis and acute renal failure, polycystic renal diseasemedullary sponge kidney, medullary cystic disease, nephrogenic diabetes, and renal tubular acidosis), tubulointerstitial diseases (*e.g.*, pyelonephritis, drug and toxin induced tubulointerstitial nephritis, hypercalcemic nephropathy, and hypokalemic nephropathy), acute and rapidly progressive renal failure, chronic renal failure, nephrolithiasis, gout, vascular diseases (*e.g.*, hypertension and nephrosclerosis, microangiopathic hemolytic anemia, atheroembolic renal disease, diffuse cortical necrosis, and renal infarcts), or tumors (*e.g.*, renal cell carcinoma and nephroblastoma).

TANGO 257 polypeptides, nucleic acids, or modulators thereof can be used to treat intestinal disorders, such as ischemic bowel disease, infective enterocolitis, Crohn's disease, benign tumors, malignant tumors (*e.g.*, argentaffinomas, lymphomas, adenocarcinomas, and sarcomas), malabsorption syndromes (*e.g.*, celiac disease, tropical sprue, Whipple's disease, and abetalipoproteinemia), obstructive lesions, hernias, intestinal adhesions, intussusception, or volvulus.

Further, TANGO 257 expression can be utilized as a marker (*e.g.* an *in situ* marker) for specific tissues (*i.e.*, bone structures) and/or cells (*i.e.*, osteocytes) in which TANGO 257 is expressed. TANGO 257 nucleic acids can also be used for chromosomal mapping.

Human INTERCEPT 258

A cDNA encoding human INTERCEPT 258 was identified by analyzing the sequences of clones present in a human mixed lymphocyte reaction library for sequences that encode secreted proteins. This analysis led to the identification of a clone, Ath1xtce,
 5 encoding full-length human INTERCEPT 258. The human INTERCEPT 258 cDNA of this clone is 1869 nucleotides long (Figures 18A-18B; SEQ ID NO:26). The open reading frame of this cDNA, nucleotides 153 to 1262 of SEQ ID NO:26 (SEQ ID NO:27), encodes a 370 amino acid transmembrane protein (Figures 18A-18B; SEQ ID NO:28).

Figure 19 depicts a hydropathy plot of human INTERCEPT 258. Relatively
 10 hydrophobic regions of the protein are shown above the horizontal line, and relatively hydrophilic regions of the protein are below the horizontal line. The cysteine residues (cys) are indicated by short vertical lines just below the hydropathy trace. The dashed vertical line separates the signal sequence (amino acids 1 to 29 of SEQ ID NO:28; SEQ ID NO:30) on the left from the mature protein (amino acids 30 to 370 of SEQ ID NO:28; SEQ ID NO:29) on the right.
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The signal peptide prediction program SIGNALP (Nielsen et al., 1997, *Protein Engineering* 10:1-6) predicted that human INTERCEPT 258 includes a 29 amino acid signal peptide (amino acid 1 to amino acid 29 of SEQ ID NO:26; SEQ ID NO:30) preceding the mature INTERCEPT 258 protein (corresponding to amino acid 30 to amino
 20 acid 370 of SEQ ID NO:26; SEQ ID NO:29). The molecular weight of human INTERCEPT 258 protein without post-translational modifications is 40.0 kDa prior to the cleavage of the signal peptide, 37.0 kDa after cleavage of the signal peptide.

Human INTERCEPT 258 contains a hydrophobic transmembrane domain at amino acids amino acids 207 to 224 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:78) and amino acids 247 to
 25 271 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:33). Human INTERCEPT 258 also contains two Ig domains, one at amino acids 49 to 128 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:35) and a second at amino acids 167 to 226 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:36).

Five N-glycosylation sites are present in human INTERCEPT 258. The first has sequence NLSL and is found at amino acids 108 to 111 of SEQ ID NO:28, the second has
 30 the sequence NUTL and is found at amino acids 169 to 172 of SEQ ID NO:28; the third is has the sequence NLSS and is found at amino acids 213 to 216 of SEQ ID NO:28, the fourth has the sequence NUTL and is found at amino acids, 236 to 239 of SEQ ID NO:28, and the fifth has the sequence NGTL and is found at amino acids 307 to 310 of SEQ ID NO:28. Seven protein kinase C phosphorylation sites are present in human INTERCEPT
 35 258. The first has the sequence TSK and is found at amino acids 93 to 95 of SEQ ID NO:28, the second has the sequence SLR and is found at amino acids 110 to 112 of SEQ

ID NO:28, the third has the sequences SIK and is found at amino acids 141 to 143 of SEQ ID NO:28, the fourth has the sequence SCR and is found at amino acids 157 to 159, the fifth has the sequence SPR and is found at amino acids 176 to 179 of SEQ ID NO:28, the sixth has the sequence SAR and is found at amino acids 315 to 317 of SEQ ID NO:28, and the seventh has the sequence SPR and is found at amino acids 344 to 346 of SEQ ID NO:28. The human INTERCEPT 258 protein has seven N-myristoylation sites. The first has the sequence GUTTSK and is found at amino acids 90 to 95 of SEQ ID NO:28, the second has the sequence GANVTL and is found at amino acids 167 to 172 of SEQ ID NO:28, the third has the sequence GVVYCK and is found at amino acids 220 to 225, the fourth has the sequence GTAQCN and is found at amino acids 231 to 236 of SEQ ID NO:28, the fifth has the sequence GTLVGL and is found at amino acids 256 to 261, the sixth has the sequence GLLAGL and is found at amino acids 262 to 267 of SEQ ID NO:28, and the seventh has the sequence GTLSSU and is found at amino acids 308 to 313 of SEQ ID NO:28.

The human INTERCEPT 258 gene was mapped to human chromosome 11 using Genebridge 4 Human Radiation hybrid mapping panel with GGAGTATCCTTGGTCTACTCC (SEQ ID NO:197) as the forward primer and GAAAGTCTGGAAGGATGGAAGCT (SEQ ID NO:198) as the reverse primer.

Human multi-tissue dot blot analysis of human INTERCEPT 258 expression demonstrates strongest expression in lung, fetal lung, placenta, thyroid gland and mammary gland. Moderate expression is observed in heart, aorta, kidney, small intestine, fetal heart, fetal kidney, fetal spleen, uterus, and stomach. Weak expression is observed in whole brain, amygdala, caudate nucleus, cerebellum, cerebral cortex frontal lobe, hippocampus, medulla oblongata, occipital lobe, putamen, substantia nigra, temporal lobe, thalamus, acumens, spinal cord, skeletal muscle, colon, bladder, prostate, ovary, pancreas, pituitary gland, adrenal gland, salivary gland, liver, spleen, thymus, lymph node, bone marrow, appendix, trachea, fetal brain, fetal liver, and fetal thymus.

A human cancer cell line Northern blot analysis showed a roughly 2.0 kb INTERCEPT 258 band only in the lane containing cell line Chronic Myelogenous Leukemia (K-562). The cancerous cell lines in which INTERCEPT 258 was not expressed include promyelocytic leukemia, Hela, lymphoblastic leukemia, Burkitt's lymphoma Raji, colorectal adenocarcinoma, lung carcinoma and melanoma.

INTERCEPT 258 exhibits homology to a human A33 antigen. A33 antigen is a transmembrane glycoprotein and a member of the immunoglobulin superfamily that may represent a cancer cell marker (Heath et al., 1997, Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 94:469-474). Figure 23 shows an alignment of the human INTERCEPT 258 amino acid sequence

(SEQ ID NO:28) with the human A33 amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO:67). The alignment shows that there is a 23.0% overall amino acid sequence identity between human INTERCEPT 258 and A33. Figures 24A-24D show an alignment of the human INTERCEPT 258 nucleotide sequence (SEQ ID NO:26) with that of human A33
5 nucleotide sequence (SEQ ID NO:68). The alignment shows that there is a 40.6% identity between the two sequences.

Human INTERCEPT 258 nucleotide sequence (SEQ ID NO:26) exhibits homology to human PECAM-1 nucleotide sequence (SEQ ID NO:72). Figures 27A-27E show that there is an overall 40.5% identity between the two nucleotide sequences.
10 Human INTERCEPT 258 amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO:28) and human PECAM-1 amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO:73) share less than 18% identity. PECAM-1 (platelet endothelial cell adhesion molecule-1) is an integrin expressed on endothelial cells.

Clone EpT258, which encodes human INTERCEPT 258, was deposited with the American Type Culture Collection (10801 University Boulevard, Manassas, VA 20110-
15 2209) on April 21, 1999 and assigned Accession Number 207222. This deposit will be maintained under the terms of the Budapest Treaty on the International Recognition of the Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purposes of Patent Procedure. This deposit was made merely as a convenience for those of skill in the art and is not an admission that a deposit is required under 35 U.S.C. §112.

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Mouse INTERCEPT 258

A cDNA encoding mouse INTERCEPT 258 was identified by analyzing the sequences of clones present in a mouse megakaryocyte library for sequences that encode secreted proteins. This analysis led to the identification of a clone, Athmea17c8, encoding
25 full-length mouse INTERCEPT 258. The mouse INTERCEPT 258 cDNA of this clone is 1846 nucleotides long (Figures 20A-20B; SEQ ID NO:37). The open reading frame of this cDNA, nucleotides 107 to 1288 of SEQ ID NO:37 (SEQ ID NO:38), encodes a 394 amino acid transmembrane protein (Figures 20A-20B, SEQ ID NO:39).

Figure 21 depicts a hydropathy plot for mouse INTERCEPT 258. Relatively
30 hydrophobic regions of the protein are above the horizontal line, relatively hydrophilic regions of the protein are below the horizontal line. The cysteine residues (cys) and N-glycosylation sites are (Ngly) are indicated by short vertical lines just below the hydropathy trace. The dashed vertical line separates the signal sequence from the mature protein described below.

35 The signal peptide prediction program SIGNALP (Nielsen et al., 1997, *Protein Engineering* 10:1-6) predicted that mouse INTERCEPT 258 includes a 29 amino acid

signal peptide (amino acid 1 to amino acid 29 of SEQ ID NO:39; SEQ ID NO:41) preceding the mature INTERCEPT 258 protein (corresponding to amino acid 30 to amino acid 394 of SEQ ID NO:39; SEQ ID NO:40). The molecular weight INTERCEPT 258 without post-translational modifications is 41.8 kDa prior to the cleavage of the signal peptide, 38.90 kDa after cleavage of the signal peptide.

Mouse INTERCEPT 258 contains a hydrophobic transmembrane domain at amino acids 250 to 274 SEQ ID NO:39 (SEQ ID NO:44). Mouse INTERCEPT 258 also contains an Ig domain at amino acids 170 to 229 of SEQ ID NO:39 (SEQ ID NO:71).

Five N-glycosylation sites are present in mouse INTERCEPT 258. The first has sequence NVSL and is found at amino acids 111 to 114 of SEQ ID NO:39, the second has the sequence NVTL and is found at amino acids 172 to 175 of SEQ ID NO:39, the third has the sequence NLSI and is found at amino acids 216 to 219 of SEQ ID NO:39, the fourth has the sequence NVTL and is found at amino acids, 239 to 242 of SEQ ID NO:39, and the fifth has the sequence NGTL and is found at amino acids 310 to 313 of SEQ ID NO:39. Nine protein kinase C phosphorylation sites are present in mouse INTERCEPT 258. the first has the sequence TNK and is found at amino acids 96 to 98 of SEQ ID NO:39, the second has the sequence SSR and is found at amino acids 108 to 110 of SEQ ID NO:39, the third has the sequence SLR and is found at amino acids 113 to 115 of SEQ ID NO:39, the fourth has the sequence TYR and is found at amino acids 126 to 128, the fifth has the sequence SIK and is found at amino acids 144 to 146 of SEQ ID NO:39, the sixth has the sequence SPR and is found at amino acids 179 to 181 of SEQ ID NO:39, the seventh has the sequence SLK and is found at amino acids 211 and 213, the eighth has the sequence SAR and is found at amino acids 318 to 320 of SEQ ID NO:39, and the ninth has the sequence SPR and is found at amino acids 348 to 350 of SEQ ID NO:39. The mouse INTERCEPT 258 contains a casein kinase II phosphorylation site having the sequence TLEE, found at amino acids 280 to 283 of SEQ ID NO:39. The mouse INTERCEPT 258 protein has nine N-myristoylation sites. The first has the sequence GTPETS and is found at amino acids 6 to 11 of SEQ ID NO:39, the second has the sequence GVMTNK and is found at amino acids 125 to 130 of SEQ ID NO:39, the third has the sequence GTYRCS and is found at amino acids 125 to 130, the fourth has the sequence GTNVTL and is found at amino acids 170 to 175 of SEQ ID NO:39, the fifth has the sequence GVVVCK and is found at amino acids 223 to 228, the sixth has the sequence GSKAAV and is found at amino acids 247 to 252, the seventh has the sequence GAVVGT and is found at amino acids 255 to 260 of SEQ ID NO:39, the eighth has sequence GTLSSV and is found at amino acids 311 to 316 of SEQ ID NO:39, and the

ninth has the sequence GGVSSS and is found at amino acids 367 to 372 of SEQ ID NO:39.

5 An *in situ* expression analysis of INTERCEPT 258 was performed as summarized herein. Mouse INTERCEPT 258 expression during embryogenesis (E73.5 to P1.5 were examined) was observed throughout the animal in a punctate pattern. This pattern is very similar to that seen with the molecule PECAM-1, but at a lower intensity. PECAM-1 is an integrin expressed on endothelial cells. In addition, lung and brown fat exhibited a much higher signal in a more ubiquitous pattern in all embryonic stages examined. Heart and kidney also have a higher expression, but to a lesser degree. Adult mouse INTERCEPT
10 258 expression was seen in many tissues, often in a multifocal, punctate pattern suggestive of vessels. Expression was also predominant in many highly vascularized tissues such as ovary (especially the septol region), kidney and adrenal cortex.

In general, both embryonic and adult expression patterns were suggestive of endothelial cells being a component in the expression patterns observed. In summary,
15 tissues in which INTERCEPT 258 expression was observed were as follows: brain, eye, harderian gland, submandibular gland, bladder, brown fat, stomach, heart, kidney, adrenal gland, colon, liver, thymus, lymph node, spleen, spinal cord, ovary, testes and placenta.

As shown in Figure 22, human INTERCEPT 258 protein and mouse INTERCEPT 258 protein are 62.8% identical.

20 Mouse INTERCEPT 258 exhibits homology to a human A33 antigen. Figure 25 shows an alignment of mouse INTERCEPT 258 amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO:39) with the human A33 amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO:96). The alignment shows that there is a 23% overall amino acid sequence identity between the two sequences. Figures 26A-26D show an alignment of the mouse INTERCEPT 258 nucleotide sequence (SEQ
25 ID NO:37) with that of the human A33 nucleotide sequence (SEQ ID NO:97). The alignment shows that there is a 40% identity between these two nucleotide sequences.

Clone EpTm258, which encodes mouse INTERCEPT 258, was deposited with the American Type Culture Collection (10801 University Boulevard, Manassas, VA 20110-2209) on April 21, 1999 and assigned Accession Number 207221. This deposit will be
30 maintained under the terms of the Budapest Treaty on the International Recognition of the Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purposes of Patent Procedure. This deposit was made merely as a convenience for those of skill in the art and is not an admission that a deposit is required under 35 U.S.C. §112.

35 Uses of INTERCEPT 258 Nucleic acids, Polypeptides, and Modulators Thereof

INTERCEPT 258 was identified as being expressed in a mixed lymphocyte library. In light of this, INTERCEPT 258 nucleic acids, proteins and modulators thereof can be utilized to modulate processes involved in lymphocyte development, differentiation and activity, including, but not limited to development, differentiation and activation of T cells, including T helper, T cytotoxic and non-specific T killer cell types and subtypes, and B cells, immune functions associated with such cells, and amelioration of one or more symptoms associated with abnormal function of such cell types. Such disorders can include, but are not limited to, autoimmune disorders, such as organ specific autoimmune disorders, *e.g.*, autoimmune thyroiditis, Type I diabetes mellitus, insulin-resistant diabetes, autoimmune anemia, multiple sclerosis, and/or systemic autoimmune disorders, *e.g.*, rheumatoid arthritis, lupus or scleroderma, allergy, including allergic rhinitis and food allergies, asthma, psoriasis, graft rejection, transplantation rejection, graft versus host disease, pathogenic susceptibilities, *e.g.*, susceptibility to certain bacterial or viral pathogens, wound healing and inflammatory reactions.

INTERCEPT 258 includes one or more Ig domains. INTERCEPT 258 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can, therefore, be used to modulate immune function, *e.g.*, by the modulation of immunoglobulins and the formation of antibodies. For the same reason, INTERCEPT 258 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can be used to modulate immune response, leukocyte trafficking, cancer, Type I immunologic disorders, *e.g.*, anaphylaxis and/or rhinitis, by modulating the interaction between antigens and cell receptors, *e.g.*, high affinity IgE receptors.

INTERCEPT 258 exhibits homology to PECAM-1, a cell adhesion integrin molecule that has been shown to mediate cell-cell interactions, play an important role in bidirectional signal transduction, and may be involved in thrombotic, inflammatory and immunological disorders. As such, INTERCEPT 258 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can be utilized to modulate cell/cell interactions and, for example, signal transduction events associated with such interactions. For example, such INTERCEPT 258 compositions and modulators thereof can be used to modulate binding of cellular factors or ECM-associated factors such as integrin and can function to modulate ligand binding to cell surface receptors. Further, such INTERCEPT 258 compositions and modulators thereof can be utilized to ameliorate at least one symptom associated with thrombotic disorders, *e.g.*, stroke, inflammatory processes or disorders, and immune disorders.

In light of INTERCEPT 258 expression, INTERCEPT 258 nucleic acids, proteins and modulators thereof can be utilized modulate development, differentiation, proliferation and/or activity of pulmonary system cells, *e.g.*, lung cell types, and to

modulate a symptom associated with disorders of pulmonary development, differentiation and/or activity, such as lung diseases or disorders associated with abnormal pulmonary development or function, *e.g.*, cystic fibrosis. INTERCEPT 258 nucleic acids, proteins and modulators thereof can also be utilized modulate development, differentiation, 5 proliferation and/or activity of thyroid cells, megakaryocytes or mammary gland cells, and can further be utilized to ameliorate at least one symptom of disorders associated with, abnormal thyroid function, *e.g.*, thyroiditis or Grave's disease, abnormal megakaryocyte differentiation or function, *e.g.*, anemias or leukemias, hematological diseases such as thrombocytopenia, platelet disorders and bleeding disorders, such as hemophilia or 10 abnormal mammary development or function.

INTERCEPT 258 nucleic acids, polypeptides, or modulators thereof can be used to treat renal (kidney) disorders, such as glomerular diseases (*e.g.*, acute and chronic glomerulonephritis, rapidly progressive glomerulonephritis, nephrotic syndrome, focal proliferative glomerulonephritis, glomerular lesions associated with systemic disease, such 15 as systemic lupus erythematosus, Goodpasture's syndrome, multiple myeloma, diabetes, polycystic kidney disease, neoplasia, sickle cell disease, and chronic inflammatory diseases), tubular diseases (*e.g.*, acute tubular necrosis and acute renal failure, polycystic renal diseasemedullary sponge kidney, medullary cystic disease, nephrogenic diabetes, and renal tubular acidosis), tubulointerstitial diseases (*e.g.*, pyelonephritis, drug and toxin 20 induced tubulointerstitial nephritis, hypercalcemic nephropathy, and hypokalemic nephropathy), acute and rapidly progressive renal failure, chronic renal failure, nephrolithiasis, gout, vascular diseases (*e.g.*, hypertension and nephrosclerosis, microangiopathic hemolytic anemia, atheroembolic renal disease, diffuse cortical necrosis, and renal infarcts), or tumors (*e.g.*, renal cell carcinoma and nephroblastoma).

INTERCEPT 258 nucleic acids, polypeptides, or modulators thereof can also be used to treat 25 disorders of the brain, such as cerebral edema, hydrocephalus, brain herniations, iatrogenic disease (due to, *e.g.*, infection, toxins, or drugs), inflammations (*e.g.*, bacterial and viral meningitis, encephalitis, and cerebral toxoplasmosis), cerebrovascular diseases (*e.g.*, hypoxia, ischemia, and infarction, intracranial hemorrhage and vascular malformations, and 30 hypertensive encephalopathy), and tumors (*e.g.*, neuroglial tumors, neuronal tumors, tumors of pineal cells, meningeal tumors, primary and secondary lymphomas, intracranial tumors, and medulloblastoma), and to treat injury or trauma to the brain.

INTERCEPT 258 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can still further be utilized to modulate development, differentiation proliferation and/or activity of cells 35 involved in kidney or heart formation and function. In addition, such compositions and modulators thereof can be utilized to ameliorate at least one symptom of disorders

associated with abnormal kidney or heart formation or function, including, but not limited to nephritis, coronary disease, atherosclerosis and plaque formation.

INTERCEPT 258 expression indicates that INTERCEPT 258 is involved, in addition to the above, in such processes as thermogenesis, adipocyte function, and vascularization. As such, INTERCEPT 258 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can be utilized to modulate such processes as well as for ameliorating at least one symptom associated with such processes. Such disorders include, but are not limited to obesity, regulation of body temperature, and disorders involving abnormal vascularization, e.g., vascularization of solid tumors.

In further light of INTERCEPT 258 expression, as well as in light of its homology to A33 antigen, INTERCEPT 258 nucleic acids, proteins and modulators thereof can be utilized to modulate cell proliferation, including, for example, epithelial, e.g., gastrointestinal tract epithelial cell proliferation, and to ameliorate at least one symptom of cell proliferative disorders such as cancer, and, in particular, chronic myelogenous leukemia, colon cancers, small bowel epithelium cancers and other gastrointestinal tract cancers. Further, INTERCEPT 258 expression can be utilized as a marker for specific tissues (e.g., vascularized tissues) and/or cells (e.g., endothelial cells) in which INTERCEPT 258 is expressed. INTERCEPT 258 nucleic acids can also be utilized for chromosomal mapping.

Human TANGO 281

A cDNA encoding human TANGO 281 was identified by analyzing the sequences of clones present in a human megakaryocyte cDNA library. This analysis led to the identification of a clone, AThPb81d10, encoding full-length human TANGO 281. The human TANGO 281 cDNA of this clone is 1812 nucleotides long (Figures 28A-28B; SEQ ID NO:46). The open reading frame of this cDNA, nucleotides 65 to 799 of SEQ ID NO:46 (SEQ ID NO:47), encodes a 245 amino acid transmembrane protein (Figures 28A-28B; SEQ ID NO:48).

The signal peptide prediction program SIGNALP (Nielsen, et al. (1997) *Protein Engineering* 10:1-6) predicted that human TANGO 281 includes an 38 amino acid signal peptide (amino acid 1 to amino acid 38 of SEQ ID NO:48; SEQ ID NO:49) preceding the mature TANGO 281 protein (corresponding to amino acid 39 to amino acid 245 of SEQ ID NO:48; SEQ ID NO:50). The molecular weight of TANGO 281 without post-translational modifications is 26.5 kDa prior to the cleavage of the signal peptide, 20.2 kDa after cleavage of the signal peptide.

Human TANGO 281 is a transmembrane protein which contains one or more of the following domains: (1) an extracellular domain; (2) a transmembrane domain; and (3) a

cytoplasmic domain. The human TANGO 281 protein contains an extracellular domain at amino acids 1 to 123 of SEQ ID NO:48 or a mature extracellular domain at about amino acid residues 39 to 123 of SEQ ID NO:48 (SEQ ID NO:51), a transmembrane domain at amino acid residues 124 to 148 of SEQ ID NO:48 (SEQ ID NO:52), and a cytoplasmic domain at amino acid residues 149 to 245 of SEQ ID NO:48 (SEQ ID NO:53).

Figure 29 depicts a hydropathy plot of human TANGO 281. Relatively hydrophobic regions of the protein are shown above the horizontal line, and relatively hydrophilic regions of the protein are below the horizontal line. The cysteine residues (cys) and potential N-glycosylation sites (Ngly) are indicated by short vertical lines just below the hydropathy trace. The dashed vertical line separates the signal sequence (amino acids 1 to 38 of SEQ ID NO:48; SEQ ID NO:49) on the left from the mature protein (amino acids 38 to 245 of SEQ ID NO:48; SEQ ID NO:50) on the right.

Human TANGO 281 comprises photosystem II 10 kD phosphoprotein (PSBH) domain sequences, which have been shown to be phosphorylated in a light-dependent reaction, from amino acids 41 to 90 and 127 to 182 of SEQ ID NO:48 (SEQ ID NO:54 and SEQ ID NO:55, respectively). Figure 30 depicts an alignment between the PSBH domain (SEQ ID NO:69; Accession No. PF00737) and human TANGO 281 from amino acids 97 to 146 of SEQ ID NO:48. An N-glycosylation site having the sequence NTTT is present in TANGO 281 at about amino acids 160 to 163 of SEQ ID NO:48. Two protein kinase C phosphorylation sites are present in human TANGO 281. The first has the sequence SVR (at amino acids 8 to 10 of SEQ ID NO:48), and the second has the sequence SSR (at amino acids 87 to 89 of SEQ ID NO:48). Three casein kinase II phosphorylation sites are present in human TANGO 281. The first has the sequence SIPE (at amino acids 49 to 52 of SEQ ID NO:48), the second has the sequence SCPD (at amino acids 53 to 56 of SEQ ID NO:48), and the third has the sequence SSLD (at amino acids 108 to 111 of SEQ ID NO:48). Human TANGO 281 has two N-myristylation sites. The first has the sequence GSCSSQ (at amino acids 60 to 65 of SEQ ID NO:48), and the second has the sequence GATVAI (at amino acids 119 to 124 of SEQ ID NO:48).

Nucleic acid base pairs 413 to 746 of human TANGO 281 (SEQ ID NO:46) have 81% identity to the nucleic acid sequence identified as Accession Number AV34245. Nucleic acid base pairs 438 to 746 of human TANGO 281 (SEQ ID NO:46) have 80% identity to a nucleic acid sequence referred to as "gene 31" described in PCT Publication No. WO 98/39446 (SEQ ID NO:70). "Gene 31" is characterized as being expressed primarily in brain and thymus, and to a lesser extent in such organs as liver, skin, bone and bone marrow.

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Mouse TANGO 281

A cDNA encoding mouse TANGO 281 was identified in a normal mouse megakaryocyte library by performing expression profiling on megakaryocytes obtained from mice with a the deletion of the element of the gata-1 gene responsible for megakaryocyte-specific expression. This analysis led to the identification of a clone, Atmea49d3, encoding full-length mouse TANGO 281. The mouse TANGO 281 cDNA of this clone is 1858 nucleotides long (Figure 30; SEQ ID NO:56). The open reading frame of this cDNA, nucleotides 90 to 728 of SEQ ID NO:56 (SEQ ID NO:57), encodes a 213 amino acid transmembrane protein (Figure 30; SEQ ID NO:58).

15 The signal peptide prediction program SIGNALP (Nielsen, et al. (1997) *Protein Engineering* 10:1-6) predicted that mouse TANGO 281 includes an 26 amino acid signal peptide (amino acid 1 to amino acid 26 of SEQ ID NO:58; SEQ ID NO:59) preceding the mature TANGO 281 protein (corresponding to amino acid 27 to amino acid 213 of SEQ ID NO:58; SEQ ID NO:60). The molecular weight of mouse TANGO 281 without post-translational modifications is 22.9 kDa prior to the cleavage of the signal peptide, 20.2 kDa after cleavage of the signal peptide.

Mouse TANGO 281 is a transmembrane protein which contains one or more of the following domains: (1) an extracellular domain; (2) a transmembrane domain; and (3) a cytoplasmic domain. The mouse TANGO 281 protein contains an extracellular domain at amino acid residues 27 to 112 of SEQ ID NO:58 (SEQ ID NO:61), a transmembrane domain at amino acid residues 113 to 137 of SEQ ID NO:58 (SEQ ID NO:62), and a cytoplasmic domain at amino acid residues 138 to 213 of SEQ ID NO:58 (SEQ ID NO:63).

Figure 32 depicts a hydropathy plot of mouse TANGO 281. Relatively hydrophobic regions of the protein are shown above the horizontal line, and relatively hydrophilic regions of the protein are below the horizontal line. The cysteine residues (cys) and potential N-glycosylation sites (Ngly) are indicated by short vertical lines just below the hydropathy trace. The dashed vertical line separates the signal sequence (amino acids 1 to 26 of SEQ ID NO:58; SEQ ID NO:59) on the left from the mature protein (amino acids 27 to 213 of SEQ ID NO:58; SEQ ID NO:60) on the right.

35 Mouse TANGO 281 comprises photosystem II 10 kD phosphoprotein (PSBH) domain sequences, which have been shown to be phosphorylated in a light-dependent reaction, from

amino acids 42 to 91 and 128 to 183 of SEQ ID NO:58 (SEQ ID NO:64 and SEQ ID NO:65, respectively): Two N-glycosylation sites having the sequences NTTT (at amino acids 149 to 152 of SEQ ID NO:58) and NASS (at about amino 189 to 192 of SEQ ID NO:58) are present in TANGO 281. A glycosaminoglycan attachment site having the sequence SGFG is present in mouse TANGO 281, and protein kinase C phosphorylation site having the sequence SSR is present in mouse TANGO 281. Two casein kinase II phosphorylation sites are present in human TANGO 281. The first has the sequence TPAE (at amino acids 80 to 83 of SEQ ID NO:58), and the second has the sequence SSFD (at amino acids 97 to 100 of SEQ ID NO:58). Mouse TANGO 281 has two N-myristylation sites. The first has the sequence GSCSNQ (at amino acids 48 to 53 of SEQ ID NO:58), and the second has the sequence GATVAI (at amino acids 108 to 113 of SEQ ID NO:58).

Northern blot analysis of mouse TANGO 281 expression revealed two mRNA bands, one of approximately 1.8 kb and another approximately 1.4 kb. Expression of the 1.8 kb band was detected in the heart, spleen, lung and kidney, with the greatest abundance detected in the heart and lung, followed by the kidney and trace amounts in the spleen. Expression of the 1.4 kb band was detected in the brain, spleen, and lung. Expression of the 1.4 kb and 1.8 kb species of mouse TANGO 281 was detected in 7 day old normal mouse embryos. Neither the 1.4 kb or the 1.8 kb species of mouse TANGO 281 were detected in 11 day old normal mouse embryos. The 1.8 kb species of mouse TANGO 281 was detected in 15 day old normal mouse embryos at 20 % the level detected in 7 day old normal mouse embryos. Expression of the 1.8 kb species detected in 17 day old normal mouse embryos was comparable to the level of expression detected in 7 day old normal mouse embryos. Expression of mouse TANGO 281 expression was greatly reduced in megakaryocytes obtained from gata-1 knockout mice.

In situ tissue screening was performed on mouse adult and embryonic tissues to analyze for the expression of mouse TANGO 281 mRNA. Mouse TANGO 281 expression was detected predominantly in the adult lymphoid tissues such as the thymus, lymph node, and spleen. In particular, mouse TANGO 281 expression was detected in the following adult tissues: a moderate, ubiquitous signal was detected in the submandibular gland; a strong, ubiquitous signal was detected in the adrenal gland; a strong, multifocal signal was detected in the medulla of the thymus and a moderate, ubiquitous signal was detected in the cortex of the thymus; a strong signal was detected in the lymph node; a strong signal was detected in the follicles of the spleen; a weak signal was detected in the mucosal epithelium of the bladder; a strong signal was detected in the ovaries; a ubiquitous signal was detected in the placenta; a moderate signal was detected in the muscle region of the stomach; a weak signal

in a pattern outlining many of the large airways was detected in lung; a weak, ubiquitous signal was detected in the liver; and a weak, ubiquitous signal was detected in the kidney.

In the case of embryonic expression, mouse TANGO 281 expression was detected in the lung, stomach, thymus and submaxillary gland. In particular, at E16.5 a weak to moderate
5 signal was detected in the intestine and stomach, and a moderate, ubiquitous signal was detected in the lung. At P1.5, a signal was detected in the lung, stomach, thymus, and submaxillary gland.

Figure 33 shows that there is an overall 66.5% identity between the precursor human
10 TANGO 281 amino acid sequence and the precursor mouse TANGO 281 amino acid sequence.

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15 of Patent Procedure. This deposit was made merely as a convenience for those of skill in the art and is not an admission that a deposit is required under 35 U.S.C. §112.

Uses of TANGO 281 Nucleic acids, Polypeptides, and Modulators Thereof

As TANGO 281 was originally found in a megakaryocyte library, TANGO 281
20 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can be used to modulate the proliferation, differentiation, and/or function of megakaryocytes and platelets. TANGO 281 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can be used to treat associated hematological diseases such as thrombocytopenia, platelet disorders and bleeding disorders (*e.g.*, hemophilia). TANGO 281 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can be used to modulate platelet
25 aggregation and degranulation. Further, as TANGO 281 expression varies in mouse embryos during development, TANGO 281 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can be used to modulate the development of cells, tissues or organs in embryos.

As TANGO 281 expression is greatly reduced in megakaryocytes obtained from gata-1 knockout mice compared normal mice, TANGO 281 is either a direct or indirect target of
30 gata-1 and has profound biological implications. Gata-1 is a transcription factor involved in the development of hemapoietic cell lineages -- gata-1 expression is required for proper development of erythrocytes and megakaryocytes. Although deletion of the gata-1 gene is lethal at the embryonic stage due to a failure to form red blood cells, deletion of only the element of the gata-1 gene responsible for megakaryocyte-specific expression (a 10 kb region
35 of genomic DNA containing a megakaryocyte specific DNase I hypersensitive) is not lethal and results in a reduction in gata-1 expression in the megakaryocyte without affecting gata-1

expression in red blood cells. The megakaryocytes of mice with this element of the gata-1 gene knocked out fail to develop into mature platelets, and the mice experience abnormal bleeding due to their profound thrombocytopenia. TANGO 281 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can be used to treat disease and/or disorders associated with gata-1 dysfunction. In light of the reduced expression of TANGO 281 in gata-1 knockout mice, TANGO 281 expression can be utilized as a marker for modulators of gata-1 expression and/or activity.

As TANGO 281 is expressed in the heart, brain, spleen, lung, kidney, embryo and megakaryocytes, TANGO 281 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can be used to treat disorders of these cells, tissues, or organs, *e.g.*, ischemic heart disease or atherosclerosis, head trauma, brain cancer, splenic lymphoma, splenomegaly, lung cancer, cystic fibrosis, rheumatoid lung disease, glomerulonephritis, end stage renal disease, uremia, DiGeorge syndrome, thymoma, autoimmune disorders, atresia, Crohns's disease, and various embryonic disorders. TANGO 281 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can be used to modulate the bleeding associated with uremia. Further, TANGO 281 nucleic acids, proteins, and modulators thereof can be used to treat hypercoagulation associated with a damaged endothelium, *e.g.*, pre-eclampsia, malignant hypertension, disseminated intravascular coagulopathy, renal transplant rejection, cyclosporin toxicity, microangiopathic hemolytic anemia, and thrombotic thrombocytopenic purpura.

TANGO 281 exhibits homology to a gene referred to as "gene 31" (PCT Publication No. WO98/39446), which is expressed primarily in the brain and thymus. In light of this, TANGO 281 nucleic acids, proteins and modulators thereof can be utilized to ameliorate at least one symptom associated with central nervous (CNS) disorders, hematopoietic disorder, and disorders of the endocrine system.

Further, in light of TANGO 281's pattern of expression in mice, TANGO 281 expression can be utilized as a marker for specific tissues (*e.g.*, lymphoid tissues such as the thymus and spleen) and/or cells (*e.g.*, lymphocytes) in which INTERCEPT 281 is expressed. TANGO 281 nucleic acids can also be utilized for chromosomal mapping.

Tables 1-4 below provide a summary of the sequence information for TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 and TANGO 281.

TABLE 1: Summary of Human TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258, and TANGO 281 Sequence Information

Gene	cDNA	ORF	Figure	Accession Number
TANGO 253	SEQ ID NO:1	SEQ ID NO:2	Figure 1	207222
TANGO 257	SEQ ID NO:15	SEQ ID NO:16	Figures 9A-9B	207222

INTERCEPT 258	SEQ ID NO:26	SEQ ID NO:27	Figure17	207222
TANGO 281	SEQ ID NO:46	SEQ ID NO:47	Figures 27	207222

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TABLE 2: Summary of Domains of Human TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 and TANGO 281 Proteins

Protein	Signal Sequence	Mature Protein	Extracellular	PSBH	Ig	Clq	Collagen	Transmembrane	Cytoplasmic
TANGO 253	aa 1-15 of SEQ ID NO:3 (SEQ ID NO:5)	aa 16-243 of SEQ ID NO:3 (SEQ ID NO:4)				aa 102-232 of SEQ ID NO:3 (SEQ ID NO:7)	aa 36-45 of SEQ ID NO:3 (SEQ ID NO:6)		
TANGO 257	aa 1-21 of SEQ ID NO:17 (SEQ ID NO:19)	aa 22-406 of SEQ ID NO:17 (SEQ ID NO:18)							
INTERCEPT 258	aa 1-29 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:30)	aa 30-370 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:29)	aa 30-206 of SEQ ID NO: 28 (SEQ ID NO: 76) aa 272-370 of SEQ ID NO: 28 (SEQ ID NO: 34)		aa 49-128; 167-226 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:35; SEQ ID NO:36)			aa 207-224 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:78); aa 247-271 of SEQ ID NO: 28 (SEQ ID NO: 33)	aa 225-246 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:79)
TANGO 281	aa 1-38 of SEQ ID NO:48 (SEQ ID NO:49)	aa 39-245 of SEQ ID NO:48 (SEQ ID NO:50)	aa 39-123 of SEQ ID NO:48 (SEQ ID NO:51)	aa 41-90; 12-187 of SEQ ID NO:48 (SEQ ID NO:54; SEQ ID NO:55)				aa 124-148 of SEQ ID NO:48 (SEQ ID NO:52)	aa 149-245 of SEQ ID NO:48 (SEQ ID NO:53)

TABLE 3: Summary of Mouse TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 and TANGO 281 Sequence Information

Gene	cDNA	ORF	Figure	Accession Number
TANGO 253	SEQ ID NO:8	SEQ ID NO:9	Figures 3A-3B	207215
TANGO 257	SEQ ID NO:21	SEQ ID NO:22	Figures 11A-11B	207217
INTERCEPT 258	SEQ ID NO:37	SEQ ID NO:38	Figures 20A-20B	207221
TANGO 281	SEQ ID NO:56	SEQ ID NO:57	Figures 31A-31B	PTA-224

TABLE 4: Summary of Domains of Mouse TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 and TANGO 281 Proteins

Protein	Signal Sequence	Mature Protein	Extracellular	PSBH	Ig	Clq	Collagen	Transmembrane	Cytoplasmic
TANGO 253	aa 1-15 of SEQ ID NO:10 (SEQ ID NO:12)	aa 16-243 of SEQ ID NO:10 (SEQ ID NO:11)				aa 105-232 of SEQ ID NO:10 (SEQ ID NO:13)	aa 36-95 of SEQ ID NO:10 (SEQ ID NO:14)		
TANGO 257	aa 1-21 of SEQ ID NO:23 (SEQ ID NO:25)	aa 22-406 of SEQ ID NO:23 (SEQ ID NO:24)							
INTERCEPT 258	aa 1-29 of SEQ ID NO:39 (SEQ ID NO:41)	aa 30-394 of SEQ ID NO:39 (SEQ ID NO:40)	30-249 of SEQ ID NO:39 (SEQ ID NO:83)		aa 170-229 of SEQ ID NO:39 (SEQ ID NO:46)			250 to 274 of SEQ ID NO:39 (SEQ ID NO:44)	275-394 of SEQ ID NO:39 (SEQ ID NO:45)
TANGO 281	aa 1-26 of SEQ ID NO:58 (SEQ ID NO:59)	aa 27-213 of SEQ ID NO:58 (SEQ ID NO:60)	aa 27-112 of SEQ ID NO:58 (SEQ ID NO:61)	aa 42-91; 128-183 of SEQ ID NO:58 (SEQ ID NO:64; SEQ ID NO:65)				aa 113-137 of SEQ ID NO:58 (SEQ ID NO:62)	aa 138-213 of SEQ ID NO:58 (SEQ ID NO:63)

Various aspects of the invention are described in further detail in the following subsections:

I. Isolated Nucleic Acid Molecules

One aspect of the invention pertains to isolated nucleic acid molecules that encode a polypeptide of the invention or a biologically active portion thereof, as well as nucleic acid molecules sufficient for use as hybridization probes to identify nucleic acid molecules encoding a polypeptide of the invention and fragments of such nucleic acid molecules suitable for use as PCR primers for the amplification or mutation of nucleic acid molecules. As used herein, the term "nucleic acid molecule" is intended to include DNA molecules (*e.g.*, cDNA or genomic DNA) and RNA molecules (*e.g.*, mRNA) and analogs of the DNA or RNA generated using nucleotide analogs. The nucleic acid molecule can be single-stranded or double-stranded, but preferably is double-stranded DNA. In one embodiment, the nucleic acid molecules of the invention comprise a contiguous open reading frame encoding a polypeptide of the invention.

An "isolated" nucleic acid molecule is one which is separated from other nucleic acid molecules which are present in the natural source of the nucleic acid molecule. Preferably, an "isolated" nucleic acid molecule is free of sequences (preferably protein encoding sequences) which naturally flank the nucleic acid (*i.e.*, sequences located at the 5' and 3' ends of the nucleic acid) in the genomic DNA of the organism from which the nucleic acid is derived. For example, in various embodiments, the isolated nucleic acid molecule can contain less than about 5 kB, 4 kB, 3 kB, 2 kB, 1 kB, 0.5 kB or 0.1 kB of nucleotide sequences which naturally flank the nucleic acid molecule in genomic DNA of the cell from which the nucleic acid is derived. Moreover, an "isolated" nucleic acid molecule, such as a cDNA molecule, can be substantially free of other cellular material, or culture medium when produced by recombinant techniques, or substantially free of chemical precursors or other chemicals when chemically synthesized. As used herein, the term "isolated" when referring to a nucleic acid molecule does not include an isolated chromosome.

A nucleic acid molecule of the present invention, *e.g.*, a nucleic acid molecule having the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 80, 91, 100, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192, or a complement thereof, can be isolated using standard molecular biology techniques and the sequence information provided herein. Using all or a portion of the nucleic acid sequences of SEQ ID NO:1, 2,

8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 80, 91, 100, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191
5 or 192, as a hybridization probe, nucleic acid molecules of the invention can be isolated using standard hybridization and cloning techniques (e.g., as described in Sambrook et al., eds., *Molecular Cloning: A Laboratory Manual, 2nd ed.*, Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory, Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory Press, Cold Spring Harbor, NY, 1989).

10 A nucleic acid molecule of the invention can be amplified using cDNA, mRNA or genomic DNA as a template and appropriate oligonucleotide primers according to standard PCR amplification techniques. The nucleic acid so amplified can be cloned into an appropriate vector and characterized by DNA sequence analysis. Furthermore, oligonucleotides corresponding to all or a portion of a nucleic acid molecule of the invention can be prepared by standard synthetic techniques, e.g., using an automated DNA
15 synthesizer.

In another preferred embodiment, an isolated nucleic acid molecule of the invention comprises a nucleic acid molecule which is a complement of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 80, 91, 100, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192, or the nucleotide sequence of the cDNA insert of a clone deposited with the ATCC® as Accession number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession number 207217, Accession Number 207221 or patent deposit Number
25 PTA-224, or a portion thereof. A nucleic acid molecule which is complementary to a given nucleotide sequence is one which is sufficiently complementary to the given nucleotide sequence that it can hybridize to the given nucleotide sequence thereby forming a stable duplex.

30 Moreover, a nucleic acid molecule of the invention can comprise only a portion of a nucleic acid sequence encoding a full length polypeptide of the invention for example, a fragment which can be used as a probe or primer or a fragment encoding a biologically active portion of a polypeptide of the invention. The nucleotide sequence determined from the cloning one gene allows for the generation of probes and primers designed for use in
35 identifying and/or cloning homologues in other cell types, e.g., from other tissues, as well as homologues from other mammals. The probe/primer typically comprises substantially purified oligonucleotide. In one embodiment, the oligonucleotide comprises a region of

nucleotide sequence that hybridizes under stringent conditions to at least about 12, preferably 25, more preferably about 50, 75, 100, 125, 150, 175, 200, 250, 300, 350 or 400 consecutive oligonucleotides of the sense or anti-sense sequence of SEQ ID NO:1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 80, 91, 100, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192, or the nucleotide sequence of the cDNA insert of a clone deposited with the ATCC® as Accession number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221, or patent deposit Number PTA-224, or of a naturally occurring mutant of SEQ ID NO:1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 80, 91, 100, 101, 103, 104, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192. In another embodiment, the oligonucleotide comprises a region of nucleotide sequence that hybridizes under stringent conditions to at least 400, preferably 450, 500, 530, 550, 600, 700, 750, 800, 850, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200 or more consecutive oligonucleotides of the sense or antisense sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 80, 91, 100, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192, or the nucleotide sequence of the cDNA insert of a clone deposited with the ATCC® as Accession number 207222, Accession number 207215, Accession number 207217, Accession Number 207221, or patent deposit Number PTA-224, or of a naturally occurring mutant of SEQ ID NO: 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 80, 91, 100, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192.

In a preferred embodiment, the oligonucleotide typically comprises a region of nucleotide sequence that hybridizes under stringent conditions to at least about 450, preferably about 500, 550, 600, 650, 700, 750, 800, 850, 900, 1000, 1100 or 1300 consecutive nucleotides of the sense or anti-sense sequence of SEQ ID NO:1, 103, 105, 107 or 109, or a naturally occurring mutant of SEQ ID NO:1, 103, 105, 107, or 109. In another preferred embodiment, the oligonucleotide typically comprises a region of

nucleotide sequence that hybridizes under stringent conditions to at least about 12, preferably 25, 50, 100, 150, 200, 250, 300, 350, 400, 450, 500, 550, 600, 650, 700 or 720 consecutive nucleotides of the sense or anti-sense sequence of SEQ ID NO:2, 91, 100, 101 or 80.

5 In another preferred embodiment, the oligonucleotide typically comprises a region of nucleotide sequence that hybridizes under stringent conditions to at least about 540, preferably about 600, 650, 700, 750, 800, 850, 900, 950, 1000, 1100, 1200 or 1250 consecutive nucleotides of the sense or anti-sense sequence of SEQ ID NO:8, 119, 121, 123 or 125, or of a naturally occurring mutant of SEQ ID NO:8, 119, 121, 123 or 125. In
10 another preferred embodiment, the oligonucleotide typically comprises a region of nucleotide sequence that hybridizes under stringent conditions to at least about 310, preferably about 350, 400, 450, 500, 550, 600, 650 or 700 consecutive nucleotides of the sense or anti-sense sequence of SEQ ID NO:9, 174, 175, 176 or 177, or of a naturally occurring mutant of SEQ ID NO:9, 174, 175, 176 or 177.

15 In another preferred embodiment, the oligonucleotide typically comprises a region of nucleotide sequence that hybridizes under stringent conditions to at least about 1800 consecutive nucleotides of the sense or anti-sense sequence of SEQ ID NO:15, 111, 113, 115 or 117, or of a naturally occurring mutant of SEQ ID NO:15, 111, 113, 115 or 117. In
20 another preferred embodiment, the oligonucleotide typically comprises a region of nucleotide sequence that hybridizes under stringent conditions to at least about 1150 consecutive nucleotides of the sense or anti-sense sequence of SEQ ID NO:16, 170, 171, 172 or 173, or of a naturally occurring mutant of SEQ ID NO:16, 170, 171, 172 or 173.

In another preferred embodiment, the oligonucleotide typically comprises a region
25 of nucleotide sequence that hybridizes under stringent conditions to at least about 1100, preferably about 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 16500 or 1700 consecutive nucleotides of the sense or anti-sense sequence of SEQ ID NO:21, 127, 129, 131 or 133, or of a naturally occurring mutant of SEQ ID NO:21, 127, 129, 131 or 133. In another preferred
30 embodiment, the oligonucleotide typically comprises a region of nucleotide sequence that hybridizes under stringent conditions to at least about 1150 consecutive nucleotides of the sense or anti-sense sequence of SEQ ID NO:22, 178, 179, 180 or 181, or of a naturally occurring mutant of SEQ ID NO:22, 178, 179, 180 or 181.

In another preferred embodiment, the oligonucleotide typically comprises a region
35 of nucleotide sequence that hybridizes under stringent conditions to at least about 420, preferably about 450, 500, 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700 or 1800 consecutive nucleotides of the sense or anti-sense sequence of SEQ ID

NO:26, 135, 137, 139 or 141, or of a naturally occurring mutant of SEQ ID NO:26, 135, 137, 139 or 141. In another preferred embodiment, the oligonucleotide typically comprises a region of nucleotide sequence that hybridizes under stringent conditions to at least about 12, preferably about 25, more preferably about 50, 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700 or 1800 consecutive nucleotides of the sense or anti-sense sequence of SEQ ID NO:27, 182, 183, 184 or 185, or of a naturally occurring mutant of SEQ ID NO:27, 182, 183, 184 or 185.

In another preferred embodiment, the oligonucleotide typically comprises a region of nucleotide sequence that hybridizes under stringent conditions to at least about 675, preferably about 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700 or 1800 consecutive nucleotides of the sense or anti-sense sequence of SEQ ID NO:37, 143, 145, 147 or 149, or of a naturally occurring mutant of SEQ ID NO:37, 143, 145, 147 or 149. In another preferred embodiment, the oligonucleotide typically comprises a region of nucleotide sequence that hybridizes under stringent conditions to at least about 500, preferably about 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700 or 1800 consecutive nucleotides of the sense or anti-sense sequence of SEQ ID NO:38, 186, 187, 188 or 189, or of a naturally occurring mutant of SEQ ID NO:38, 186, 187, 188 or 189.

In another preferred embodiment, the oligonucleotide typically comprises a region of nucleotide sequence that hybridizes under stringent conditions to at least about 12, preferably about 25, more preferably about 50, 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700 or 1800 consecutive nucleotides of the sense or anti-sense sequence of SEQ ID NO:46, 151, 153, 155 or 157, or of a naturally occurring mutant of SEQ ID NO:46, 151, 153, 155 or 157. In another preferred embodiment, the oligonucleotide typically comprises a region of nucleotide sequence that hybridizes under stringent conditions to at least about 12, preferably about 25, more preferably about 50, 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700 or 1800 consecutive nucleotides of the sense or anti-sense sequence of SEQ ID NO:47, 190, 191, 192 or 77, or of a naturally occurring mutant of SEQ ID NO:47, 190, 191, 192 or 77.

In another preferred embodiment, the oligonucleotide typically comprises a region of nucleotide sequence that hybridizes under stringent conditions to at least about 550, preferably about 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700, 1800 or 1850 consecutive nucleotides of the sense or anti-sense sequence of SEQ ID NO:56, 159, 161, 163 or 165, or of a naturally occurring mutant of SEQ ID NO:56, 159, 161, 163 or 165. In another preferred embodiment, the oligonucleotide typically

comprises a region of nucleotide sequence that hybridizes under stringent conditions to at least about 12, preferably about 25, more preferably about 50, 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 600 or 700 consecutive nucleotides of the sense or anti-sense sequence of SEQ ID NO:57, 166, 167, 168 or 169, or of a naturally occurring mutant of SEQ ID NO:57, 166, 167, 168 or 169.

Probes based on the sequence of a nucleic acid molecule of the invention can be used to detect transcripts or genomic sequences encoding the same protein molecule encoded by a selected nucleic acid molecule. The probe comprises a label group attached thereto, *e.g.*, a radioisotope, a fluorescent compound, an enzyme, or an enzyme co-factor. Such probes can be used as part of a diagnostic test kit for identifying cells or tissues which mis-express the protein, such as by measuring levels of a nucleic acid molecule encoding the protein in a sample of cells from a subject, *e.g.*, detecting mRNA levels or determining whether a gene encoding the protein has been mutated or deleted.

A nucleic acid fragment encoding a biologically active portion of a polypeptide of the invention can be prepared by isolating a portion of any of SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162 or 164 expressing the encoded portion of the polypeptide protein (*e.g.*, by recombinant expression *in vitro*) and assessing the activity of the encoded portion of the polypeptide.

The invention further encompasses nucleic acid molecules that differ from the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 80, 91, 100, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192, or the nucleotide sequence of the cDNA insert of a clone deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221 or patent deposit number PTA-224 due to degeneracy of the genetic code and thus encode the same protein as that encoded by the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 80, 91, 100, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192, or the nucleotide sequence of the cDNA insert of a clone deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221 or patent deposit Number PTA-224.

In addition to the nucleotide sequences of SEQ ID NO:1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 80, 91, 100, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192, it will be appreciated by those skilled in the art that DNA sequence polymorphisms that lead to changes in the amino acid sequence may exist within a population (*e.g.*, the human population). Such genetic polymorphisms may exist among individuals within a population due to natural allelic variation.

An allele is one of a group of genes which occur alternatively at a given genetic locus. As used herein, the phrase "allelic variant" refers to a nucleotide sequence which occurs at a given locus or to a polypeptide encoded by the nucleotide sequence. As used herein, the terms "gene" and "recombinant gene" refer to nucleic acid molecules comprising an open reading frame encoding a polypeptide of the invention. Such natural allelic variations can typically result in 1-5% variance in the nucleotide sequence of a given gene. Alternative alleles can be identified by sequencing the gene of interest in a number of different individuals. This can be readily carried out by using hybridization probes to identify the same genetic locus in a variety of individuals. Any and all such nucleotide variations and resulting amino acid polymorphisms or variations that are the result of natural allelic variation and that do not alter the functional activity are intended to be within the scope of the invention.

The human gene for TANGO 253 has been mapped to the long arm of chromosome 11. Flanking markers for this region are D1151356 and D115924. The Jacobsen syndrome (JBS), ED4 (ectodermal dysplasia 4), CMT4B (Charcot Marie Tooth neuropathy), PORC (porphyria, acute) loci also map to this region of the human chromosome. The APOPLP1 (apolipoprotein cluster), DRD2 (dopamine receptor 2), PGL1 (paraganglioma glomus tumors), RDX (radixin), NCAM1 (neural cell adhesion molecule), ARCN1 (archain 1), and IL-10R (IL-10 receptor) genes map to this region of the human chromosome. This region is syntenic to mouse chromosome 9. The *ruf* (rough fur), *lu* (luxoid), and *atm* (ataxia telangiectasia gene mutated in human being) loci also map to this region of the mouse chromosome. The *ruf* (rough fur), *lu* (luxoi), *hmbs* (hydroxymethylbilane synthase), IL-10R α (IL-10 receptor α), and *drd2* (dopamine receptor 2) genes also map to this region of the mouse chromosome.

The human gene for TANGO 257 has been mapped to chromosome 1. Flanking markers for this region are WI-7614 and FB14F9. The WS2B (Waardenburg syndrome) loci also maps to this region of the human chromosome. The NGF- β (nerve growth

factor- β), TSHB (thyroid stimulating hormone), and GSTM1 (glutathione S-transferase cluster) genes also map to this region of the human chromosome. This region is syntenic to mouse chromosome 3. The de (droopy ear) loci maps to this region of the mouse chromosome. The NGF- β (nerve growth factor- β), TSHB (thyroid stimulating hormone), and BCAN (brevican) genes also map to this region of the mouse chromosome.

The human gene for INTERCEPT 258 has been mapped to the long arm of chromosome 11, in the region q23. Flanking markers for this region are D11S936 and D11S933. The CMT4B (Charcot Marie Tooth neuropathy), ED4 (ecotodermal dysplasia), JBS (Jacobsen Syndrome), and TCPT (thrombocytopenia) loci also map to this region of the human chromosome. The APOLP1 (apolipoprotein cluster), DRD2 (dopamine receptor), and RDX (radixin) genes also map to this region of the human chromosome. This region is syntenic to mouse chromosome 9. The atm (ataxia telangiectasia), ruf (rough fur), and vs (variable spotting) loci map to this region of the mouse chromosome. The lu (luxoid), vs (variable spotting), atm (ataxia telangiectasia), rug (rough fur), and lap1 (leucine arylaminopeptidase) genes also map to this region of the mouse chromosome.

Moreover, nucleic acid molecules encoding proteins of the invention from other species (homologues), which have a nucleotide sequence which differs from that of the human or mouse protein described herein are intended to be within the scope of the invention. Nucleic acid molecules corresponding to natural allelic variants and homologues of a cDNA of the invention can be isolated based on their identity to the human nucleic acid molecule disclosed herein using the human cDNAs, or a portion thereof, as a hybridization probe according to standard hybridization techniques under stringent hybridization conditions. For example, a cDNA encoding a soluble form of a membrane-bound protein of the invention isolated based on its hybridization to a nucleic acid molecule encoding all or part of the membrane-bound form. Likewise, a cDNA encoding a membrane-bound form can be isolated based on its hybridization to a nucleic acid molecule encoding all or part of the soluble form.

Accordingly, in another embodiment, an isolated nucleic acid molecule of the invention is at least 450, 500, 550, 600, 650, 700, 750, 800, 850, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200 or 1300 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridizes under stringent conditions to the nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence, preferably the coding sequence, of SEQ ID NO:1, 103, 105, 107 or 109, or a complement thereof.

Accordingly, in another embodiment, an isolated nucleic acid molecule of the invention is at least 50, 100, 150, 200, 250, 300, 350, 400, 450, 500, 550, 600, 650, 700 or

720 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridizes under stringent conditions to the nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence, preferably the coding sequence, of SEQ ID NO:2, 80, 91, 100 or 101, or a complement thereof.

5 Accordingly, in another embodiment, an isolated nucleic acid molecule of the invention is at least 540, 600, 650, 700, 750, 800, 850, 900, 950, 1000, 1100, 1200 or 1250 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridizes under stringent conditions to the nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence, preferably the coding sequence, of SEQ ID NO:8, 119, 121, 123 or 125, or a complement thereof.

10 Accordingly, in another embodiment, an isolated nucleic acid molecule of the invention is at least 310, 350, 400, 450, 500, 550, 600, 650 or 700 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridizes under stringent conditions to the nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence, preferably the coding sequence, of SEQ ID NO:9, 174, 175, 176 or 177, or a complement thereof.

15 Accordingly, in another embodiment, an isolated nucleic acid molecule of the invention is at least 1800 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridizes under stringent conditions to the nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence, preferably the coding sequence, of SEQ ID NO:15, 111, 113, 115 or 117, or a complement thereof.

20 Accordingly, in another embodiment, an isolated nucleic acid molecule of the invention is at least 1150 or 1200 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridizes under stringent conditions to the nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence, preferably the coding sequence, of SEQ ID NO:16, 170, 171, 172 or 173, or a complement thereof.

25 Accordingly, in another embodiment, an isolated nucleic acid molecule of the invention is at least 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600 or 1700 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridizes under stringent conditions to the nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence, preferably the coding sequence, of SEQ ID NO:21, 127, 129, 131 or 133, or a complement thereof.

30 Accordingly, in another embodiment, an isolated nucleic acid molecule of the invention is at least 1150 or 1200 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridizes under stringent conditions to the nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence, preferably the coding sequence, of SEQ ID NO:22, 178, 179, 180 or 181, or a complement thereof.

35 Accordingly, in another embodiment, an isolated nucleic acid molecule of the invention is at least 420, 450, 500, 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400,

1500, 1600, 1700, or 1800 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridizes under stringent conditions to the nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence, preferably the coding sequence, of SEQ ID No:26, 135, 137, 139 or 141, or a complement thereof.

5 Accordingly, in another embodiment, an isolated nucleic acid molecule of the invention is at least 50, 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700 or 1800 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridizes under stringent conditions to the nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence, preferably the coding sequence, of SEQ ID NO:27, 182, 183, 184 or 185, or a complement thereof.

10 Accordingly, in another embodiment, an isolated nucleic acid molecule of the invention is at least 675, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700 or 1800 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridizes under stringent conditions to the nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence, preferably the coding sequence, of SEQ ID NO:37, 143, 145, 147 or 149, or a complement thereof.

15 Accordingly, in another embodiment, an isolated nucleic acid molecule of the invention is at least 500, 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700 or 1800 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridizes under stringent conditions to the nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence, preferably the coding sequence, of SEQ ID NO:38, 186, 187, 188 or 189, or a complement thereof.

20 Accordingly, in another embodiment, an isolated nucleic acid molecule of the invention is at least 50, 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700 or 1800 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridizes under stringent conditions to the nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence, preferably the coding sequence, of SEQ ID NO:46, 151, 153, 155 or 157, or a complement thereof.

25 Accordingly, in another embodiment, an isolated nucleic acid molecule of the invention is at least 50, 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 600, 700 or 750 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridizes under stringent conditions to the nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence, preferably the coding sequence, of SEQ ID NO:47, 77 190, 191 or 192, or a complement thereof.

30 Accordingly, in another embodiment, an isolated nucleic acid molecule of the invention is at least 550, 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1300, 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700, 1800 or 1850 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridizes under stringent conditions to the nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence, preferably the coding sequence, of SEQ ID NO:56, 159, 161, 163 or 165, or a complement thereof.

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Accordingly, in another embodiment, an isolated nucleic acid molecule of the invention is at least 50, 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 600 or 700 contiguous nucleotides in length and hybridizes under stringent conditions to the nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence, preferably the coding sequence, of SEQ ID NO:57, 166, 167, 168 or 169, or a complement thereof.

As used herein, the term "hybridizes under stringent conditions" is intended to describe conditions for hybridization and washing under which nucleotide sequences at least 60%, 65%, 70%, preferably 75%, identical to each other typically remain hybridized to each other. Such stringent conditions are known to those skilled in the art and can be found in *Current Protocols in Molecular Biology*, John Wiley & Sons, N.Y. (1989), 6.3.1-6.3.6. A preferred, non-limiting example of stringent hybridization conditions are hybridization in 6X sodium chloride/sodium citrate (SSC) at about 45° C, followed by one or more washes in 0.2 X SSC, 0.1% SDS at 50-65° C. Preferably, an isolated nucleic acid molecule of the invention that hybridizes under stringent conditions to the sequence of SEQ ID NO:1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 80, 91, 100, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192, or a complement thereof, corresponds to a naturally-occurring nucleic acid molecule. As used herein, a "naturally-occurring" nucleic acid molecule refers to an RNA or DNA molecule having a nucleotide sequence that occurs in nature (e.g., encodes a natural protein).

In addition to naturally-occurring allelic variants of a nucleic acid molecule of the invention sequence that may exist in the population, the skilled artisan will further appreciate that changes can be introduced by mutation thereby leading to changes in the amino acid sequence of the encoded protein, without altering the biological activity of the protein. For example, one can make nucleotide substitutions leading to amino acid substitutions at "non-essential" amino acid residues. A "non-essential" amino acid residue is a residue that can be altered from the wild-type sequence without altering the biological activity, whereas an "essential" amino acid residue is required for biological activity. For example, amino acid residues that are not conserved or only semi-conserved among homologues of various species may be non-essential for activity and thus would be likely targets for alteration. Specific examples of conservative amino acid alterations from the original amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48 or 58 are shown in SEQ ID NO: 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162 or 164.

Alternatively, amino acid residues that are conserved among the homologues of various species (*e.g.*, mouse and human) may be essential for activity and thus would not be likely targets for alteration.

5 Accordingly, another aspect of the invention pertains to nucleic acid molecules encoding a polypeptide of the invention that contain changes in amino acid residues that are not essential for activity. Such polypeptides differ in amino acid sequence from SEQ ID NO:3, 102, 104, 106 or 108, yet retain biological activity. In one embodiment, the isolated nucleic acid molecule includes a nucleotide sequence encoding a protein that includes an amino acid sequence that is at least about 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%,
10 75%, 85%, 95%, or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, 102, 104, 106 or 108.

Accordingly, another aspect of the invention pertains to nucleic acid molecules encoding a polypeptide of the invention that contain changes in amino acid residues that are not essential for activity. Such polypeptides differ in amino acid sequence from SEQ
15 ID NO:10, 118, 120, 122 or 124 yet retain biological activity. In one embodiment, the isolated nucleic acid molecule includes a nucleotide sequence encoding a protein that includes an amino acid sequence that is at least about 95%, or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:10, 118, 120, 122 or 124.

20 Accordingly, another aspect of the invention pertains to nucleic acid molecules encoding a polypeptide of the invention that contain changes in amino acid residues that are not essential for activity. Such polypeptides differ in amino acid sequence from SEQ ID NO:17, 110, 112, 114 or 116 yet retain biological activity. In one embodiment, the isolated nucleic acid molecule includes a nucleotide sequence encoding a protein that
25 includes an amino acid sequence that is at least about 88%, 90%, 95% or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:17, 110, 112, 114 or 116.

Accordingly, another aspect of the invention pertains to nucleic acid molecules encoding a polypeptide of the invention that contain changes in amino acid residues that are not essential for activity. Such polypeptides differ in amino acid sequence from SEQ
30 ID NO:23, 126, 128, 130 or 132 yet retain biological activity. In one embodiment, the isolated nucleic acid molecule includes a nucleotide sequence encoding a protein that includes an amino acid sequence that is at least about 88%, 90%, 95%, or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:23, 126, 128, 130 or 132.

35 Accordingly, another aspect of the invention pertains to nucleic acid molecules encoding a polypeptide of the invention that contain changes in amino acid residues that are not essential for activity. Such polypeptides differ in amino acid sequence from SEQ

ID NO:28, 134, 136, 138, 140, yet retain biological activity. In one embodiment, the isolated nucleic acid molecule includes a nucleotide sequence encoding a protein that includes an amino acid sequence that is at least about 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95%, or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:28, 134, 136, 138, 140.

Accordingly, another aspect of the invention pertains to nucleic acid molecules encoding a polypeptide of the invention that contain changes in amino acid residues that are not essential for activity. Such polypeptides differ in amino acid sequence from SEQ ID NO:39, 142, 144, 146 or 148, yet retain biological activity. In one embodiment, the isolated nucleic acid molecule includes a nucleotide sequence encoding a protein that includes an amino acid sequence that is at least about 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95%, or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:39, 142, 144, 146 or 148.

Accordingly, another aspect of the invention pertains to nucleic acid molecules encoding a polypeptide of the invention that contain changes in amino acid residues that are not essential for activity. Such polypeptides differ in amino acid sequence from SEQ ID NO:48, 150, 152, 154, or 156, yet retain biological activity. In one embodiment, the isolated nucleic acid molecule includes a nucleotide sequence encoding a protein that includes an amino acid sequence that is at least about 30%, 35%, 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95%, or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:48, 150, 152, 154 or 156.

Accordingly, another aspect of the invention pertains to nucleic acid molecules encoding a polypeptide of the invention that contain changes in amino acid residues that are not essential for activity. Such polypeptides differ in amino acid sequence from SEQ ID NO:58, 158, 160, 162 or 164, yet retain biological activity. In one embodiment, the isolated nucleic acid molecule includes a nucleotide sequence encoding a protein that includes an amino acid sequence that is at least about 30%, 35%, 40%, 45%, 50%, 55%, 60%, 65%, 75%, 85%, 95%, or 98% identical to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:58, 158, 160, 162 or 164.

An isolated nucleic acid molecule encoding a variant protein can be created by introducing one or more nucleotide substitutions, additions or deletions into the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 80, 91, 100, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184,

185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192 such that one or more amino acid substitutions, additions or deletions are introduced into the encoded protein. Mutations can be introduced by standard techniques, such as site-directed mutagenesis and PCR-mediated mutagenesis. Preferably, conservative amino acid substitutions are made at one or more
5 predicted non-essential amino acid residues. A "conservative amino acid substitution" is one in which the amino acid residue is replaced with an amino acid residue having a similar side chain. Families of amino acid residues having similar side chains have been defined in the art. These families include amino acids with basic side chains (*e.g.*, lysine, arginine, histidine), acidic side chains (*e.g.*, aspartic acid, glutamic acid), uncharged polar
10 side chains (*e.g.*, glycine, asparagine, glutamine, serine, threonine, tyrosine, cysteine), nonpolar side chains (*e.g.*, alanine, valine, leucine, isoleucine, proline, phenylalanine, methionine, tryptophan), beta-branched side chains (*e.g.*, threonine, valine, isoleucine) and aromatic side chains (*e.g.*, tyrosine, phenylalanine, tryptophan, histidine). Alternatively, mutations can be introduced randomly along all or part of the coding sequence, such as by
15 saturation mutagenesis, and the resultant mutants can be screened for biological activity to identify mutants that retain activity. Following mutagenesis, the encoded protein can be expressed recombinantly and the activity of the protein can be determined.

In a preferred embodiment, a mutant polypeptide that is a variant of a polypeptide of the invention can be assayed for: (1) the ability to form protein: protein interactions
20 with proteins in a signaling pathway of the polypeptide of the invention; (2) the ability to bind a ligand of the polypeptide of the invention; or (3) the ability to bind to an intracellular target protein of the polypeptide of the invention. In yet another preferred embodiment, the mutant polypeptide can be assayed for the ability to modulate cellular proliferation, cellular migration or chemotaxis, or cellular differentiation.

25 The present invention encompasses antisense nucleic acid molecules, *i.e.*, molecules which are complementary to a sense nucleic acid encoding a polypeptide of the invention, *e.g.*, complementary to the coding strand of a double-stranded cDNA molecule or complementary to an mRNA sequence. Accordingly, an antisense nucleic acid can
30 hydrogen bond to a sense nucleic acid. The antisense nucleic acid can be complementary to an entire coding strand, or to only a portion thereof, *e.g.*, all or part of the protein coding region (or open reading frame). An antisense nucleic acid molecule can be antisense to all or part of a non-coding region of the coding strand of a nucleotide sequence encoding a polypeptide of the invention. The non-coding regions ("5' and 3'
35 untranslated regions") are the 5' and 3' sequences which flank the coding region and are not translated into amino acids.

An antisense oligonucleotide can be, for example, about 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45 or 50 nucleotides or more in length. An antisense nucleic acid of the invention can be constructed using chemical synthesis and enzymatic ligation reactions using procedures known in the art. For example, an antisense nucleic acid (*e.g.*, an antisense
5 oligonucleotide) can be chemically synthesized using naturally occurring nucleotides or variously modified nucleotides designed to increase the biological stability of the molecules or to increase the physical stability of the duplex formed between the antisense and sense nucleic acids, *e.g.*, phosphorothioate derivatives and acridine substituted nucleotides can be used. Examples of modified nucleotides which can be used to generate
10 the antisense nucleic acid include 5-fluorouracil, 5-bromouracil, 5-chlorouracil, 5-iodouracil, hypoxanthine, xanthine, 4-acetylcytosine, 5-(carboxyhydroxymethyl) uracil, 5-carboxymethylaminomethyl-2-thiouridine, 5-carboxymethylaminomethyluracil, dihydrouracil, beta-D-galactosylqueosine, inosine, N6-isopentenyladenine, 1-methylguanine, 1-methylinosine, 2,2-dimethylguanine, 2-methyladenine,
15 2-methylguanine, 3-methylcytosine, 5-methylcytosine, N6-adenine, 7-methylguanine, 5-methylaminomethyluracil, 5-methoxyaminomethyl-2-thiouracil, beta-D-mannosylqueosine, 5'-methoxycarboxymethyluracil, 5-methoxyuracil, 2-methylthio-N6-isopentenyladenine, uracil-5-oxyacetic acid (*v*), wybutoxosine, pseudouracil, queosine, 2-thiocytosine, 5-methyl-2-thiouracil, 2-thiouracil, 4-thiouracil,
20 5-methyluracil, uracil-5-oxyacetic acid methylester, uracil-5-oxyacetic acid (*v*), 5-methyl-2-thiouracil, 3-(3-amino-3-N-2-carboxypropyl) uracil, (acp3)w, and 2,6-diaminopurine. Alternatively, the antisense nucleic acid can be produced biologically using an expression vector into which a nucleic acid has been subcloned in an antisense orientation (*i.e.*, RNA transcribed from the inserted nucleic acid will be of an antisense
25 orientation to a target nucleic acid of interest, described further in the following subsection).

The antisense nucleic acid molecules of the invention are typically administered to a subject or generated *in situ* such that they hybridize with or bind to cellular mRNA
and/or genomic DNA encoding a selected polypeptide of the invention to thereby inhibit
30 expression, *e.g.*, by inhibiting transcription and/or translation. The hybridization can be by conventional nucleotide complementarity to form a stable duplex, or, for example, in the case of an antisense nucleic acid molecule which binds to DNA duplexes, through specific interactions in the major groove of the double helix. An example of a route of administration of antisense nucleic acid molecules of the invention includes direct
35 injection at a tissue site. Alternatively, antisense nucleic acid molecules can be modified to target selected cells and then administered systemically. For example, for systemic

administration, antisense molecules can be modified such that they specifically bind to receptors or antigens expressed on a selected cell surface, *e.g.*, by linking the antisense nucleic acid molecules to peptides or antibodies which bind to cell surface receptors or antigens. The antisense nucleic acid molecules can also be delivered to cells using the
5 vectors described herein. To achieve sufficient intracellular concentrations of the antisense molecules, vector constructs in which the antisense nucleic acid molecule is placed under the control of a strong pol II or pol III promoter are preferred.

An antisense nucleic acid molecule of the invention can be an α -anomeric (alpha) nucleic acid molecule. An α -anomeric nucleic acid molecule forms specific
10 double-stranded hybrids with complementary RNA in which, contrary to the usual β -units, the strands run parallel to each other (Gaultier et al. (1987) *Nucleic Acids Res.* 15:6625-6641). The antisense nucleic acid molecule can also comprise a 2'-o-methylribonucleotide (Inoue et al. (1987) *Nucleic Acids Res.* 15:6131-6148) or a chimeric RNA-DNA analogue (Inoue et al. (1987) *FEBS Lett.* 215:327-330).

15 The invention also encompasses ribozymes. Ribozymes are catalytic RNA molecules with ribonuclease activity which are capable of cleaving a single-stranded nucleic acid, such as an mRNA, to which they have a complementary region. Thus, ribozymes (*e.g.*, hammerhead ribozymes (described in Haselhoff and Gerlach (1988) *Nature* 334:585-591)) can be used to catalytically cleave mRNA transcripts to thereby
20 inhibit translation of the protein encoded by the mRNA. A ribozyme having specificity for a nucleic acid molecule encoding a polypeptide of the invention can be designed based upon the nucleotide sequence of a cDNA disclosed herein. For example, a derivative of a *Tetrahymena* L-19 IVS RNA can be constructed in which the nucleotide sequence of the active site is complementary to the nucleotide sequence to be cleaved in a Cech et al. U.S.
25 Patent No. 4,987,071; and Cech et al. U.S. Patent No. 5,116,742. Alternatively, an mRNA encoding a polypeptide of the invention can be used to select a catalytic RNA having a specific ribonuclease activity from a pool of RNA molecules. *See, e.g.*, Bartel and Szostak (1993) *Science* 261:1411-1418.

30 The invention also encompasses nucleic acid molecules which form triple helical structures. For example, expression of a polypeptide of the invention can be inhibited by targeting nucleotide sequences complementary to the regulatory region of the gene encoding the polypeptide (*e.g.*, the promoter and/or enhancer) to form triple helical structures that prevent transcription of the gene in target cells. *See generally* Helene
35 (1991) *Anticancer Drug Des.* 6(6):569-84; Helene (1992) *Ann. N.Y. Acad. Sci.* 660:27-36; and Maher (1992) *Bioassays* 14(12):807-15.

In various embodiments, the nucleic acid molecules of the invention can be modified at the base moiety, sugar moiety or phosphate backbone to improve, *e.g.*, the stability, hybridization, or solubility of the molecule. For example, the deoxyribose phosphate backbone of the nucleic acids can be modified to generate peptide nucleic acids (see Hyrup et al. (1996) *Bioorganic & Medicinal Chemistry* 4(1): 5-23). As used herein, the terms "peptide nucleic acids" or "PNAs" refer to nucleic acid mimics, *e.g.*, DNA mimics, in which the deoxyribose phosphate backbone is replaced by a pseudopeptide backbone and only the four natural nucleobases are retained. The neutral backbone of PNAs has been shown to allow for specific hybridization to DNA and RNA under conditions of low ionic strength. The synthesis of PNA oligomers can be performed using standard solid phase peptide synthesis protocols as described in Hyrup et al. (1996), *supra*; Perry-O'Keefe et al. (1996) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 93: 14670-675.

PNAs can be used in therapeutic and diagnostic applications. For example, PNAs can be used as antisense or antigene agents for sequence-specific modulation of gene expression by, *e.g.*, inducing transcription or translation arrest or inhibiting replication. PNAs can also be used, *e.g.*, in the analysis of single base pair mutations in a gene by, *e.g.*, PNA directed PCR clamping; as artificial restriction enzymes when used in combination with other enzymes, *e.g.*, S1 nucleases (Hyrup (1996), *supra*; or as probes or primers for DNA sequence and hybridization (Hyrup (1996), *supra*; Perry-O'Keefe et al. (1996) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 93: 14670-675).

In another embodiment, PNAs can be modified, *e.g.*, to enhance their stability or cellular uptake, by attaching lipophilic or other helper groups to PNA, by the formation of PNA-DNA chimeras, or by the use of liposomes or other techniques of drug delivery known in the art. For example, PNA-DNA chimeras can be generated which may combine the advantageous properties of PNA and DNA. Such chimeras allow DNA recognition enzymes, *e.g.*, RNase H and DNA polymerases, to interact with the DNA portion while the PNA portion would provide high binding affinity and specificity. PNA-DNA chimeras can be linked using linkers of appropriate lengths selected in terms of base stacking, number of bonds between the nucleobases, and orientation (Hyrup (1996), *supra*). The synthesis of PNA-DNA chimeras can be performed as described in Hyrup (1996), *supra*, and Finn et al. (1996) *Nucleic Acids Res.* 24(17):3357-63. For example, a DNA chain can be synthesized on a solid support using standard phosphoramidite coupling chemistry and modified nucleoside analogs. Compounds such as 5'-(4-methoxytrityl)amino-5'-deoxy-thymidine phosphoramidite can be used as a link between the PNA and the 5' end of DNA (Mag et al. (1989) *Nucleic Acids Res.* 17:5973-88). PNA monomers are then coupled in a stepwise manner to produce a

chimeric molecule with a 5' PNA segment and a 3' DNA segment (Finn et al. (1996) *Nucleic Acids Res.* 24(17):3357-63). Alternatively, chimeric molecules can be synthesized with a 5' DNA segment and a 3' PNA segment (Peterser et al. (1975) *Bioorganic Med. Chem. Lett.* 5:1119-11124).

5 In other embodiments, the oligonucleotide may include other appended groups such as peptides (*e.g.*, for targeting host cell receptors *in vivo*), or agents facilitating transport across the cell membrane (*see, e.g.*, Letsinger et al. (1989) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 86:6553-6556; Lemaitre et al. (1987) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 84:648-652; PCT Publication No. W0 88/09810) or the blood-brain barrier (*see, e.g.*, PCT Publication No. 10 W0 89/10134). In addition, oligonucleotides can be modified with hybridization-triggered cleavage agents (*see, e.g.*, Krol et al. (1988) *Bio/Techniques* 6:958-976) or intercalating agents (*see, e.g.*, Zon (1988) *Pharm. Res.* 5:539-549). To this end, the oligonucleotide may be conjugated to another molecule, *e.g.*, a peptide, hybridization triggered cross-linking agent, transport agent, hybridization-triggered cleavage agent, etc.

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II. Isolated Proteins and Antibodies

One aspect of the invention pertains to isolated proteins, and biologically active portions thereof, as well as polypeptide fragments suitable for use as immunogens to raise 20 antibodies directed against a polypeptide of the invention. In one embodiment, the native polypeptide can be isolated from cells or tissue sources by an appropriate purification scheme using standard protein purification techniques. In another embodiment, polypeptides of the invention are produced by recombinant DNA techniques. Alternative to recombinant expression, a polypeptide of the invention can be synthesized chemically 25 using standard peptide synthesis techniques.

An "isolated" or "purified" protein or biologically active portion thereof is substantially free of cellular material or other contaminating proteins from the cell or tissue source from which the protein is derived, or substantially free of chemical precursors or other chemicals when chemically synthesized. The language "substantially 30 free of cellular material" includes preparations of protein in which the protein is separated from cellular components of the cells from which it is isolated or recombinantly produced. Thus, protein that is substantially free of cellular material includes preparations of protein having less than about 30%, 20%, 10%, or 5% (by dry weight) of heterologous protein (also referred to herein as a "contaminating protein"). When the protein or biologically 35 active portion thereof is recombinantly produced, it is also preferably substantially free of culture medium, *i.e.*, culture medium represents less than about 20%, 10%, or 5% of the

volume of the protein preparation. When the protein is produced by chemical synthesis, it is preferably substantially free of chemical precursors or other chemicals, i.e., it is separated from chemical precursors or other chemicals which are involved in the synthesis of the protein. Accordingly such preparations of the protein have less than about 30%,
5 20%, 10%, 5% (by dry weight) of chemical precursors or compounds other than the polypeptide of interest.

Biologically active portions of a polypeptide of the invention include polypeptides comprising amino acid sequences sufficiently identical to or derived from the amino acid sequence of the protein (*e.g.*, the amino acid sequence shown in any of SEQ ID NO:4, 6,
10 7, 13, 14, 18, 23, 28, 33, 34, 35, 36, 39, 42, 44, 45, 48, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 58, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 71, 76, 34, 78, 79, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, or 99 which include fewer amino acids than the full length protein, and exhibit at least one activity of the corresponding full-length protein. Typically, biologically active portions comprise a domain or motif with at least one activity of the corresponding protein. A
15 biologically active portion of a protein of the invention can be a polypeptide which is, for example, 10, 25, 50, 100 or more amino acids in length. Moreover, other biologically active portions, in which other regions of the protein are deleted, can be prepared by recombinant techniques and evaluated for one or more of the functional activities of the native form of a polypeptide of the invention.

20 Preferred polypeptides have the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:4, 6, 7, 13, 14, 18, 23, 28, 33, 34, 35, 36, 39, 42, 44, 45, 48, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 58, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 71, 76, 34, 78, 79, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, or 99. Other useful proteins are substantially identical (*e.g.*, at least about 45%, preferably 55%,
25 65%, 75%, 85%, 95%, or 99%) to any of SEQ ID NO:4, 6, 7, 13, 14, 18, 23, 28, 33, 34, 35, 36, 39, 42, 44, 45, 48, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 58, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 71, 76, 34, 78, 79, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, or 99 and retain the functional activity of the protein of the corresponding naturally-occurring protein yet differ in amino acid sequence due to natural allelic variation or mutagenesis.

30 To determine the percent identity of two amino acid sequences or of two nucleic acids, the sequences are aligned for optimal comparison purposes (*e.g.*, gaps can be introduced in the sequence of a first amino acid or nucleic acid sequence for optimal alignment with a second amino or nucleic acid sequence). The amino acid residues or nucleotides at corresponding amino acid positions or nucleotide positions are then
35 compared. When a position in the first sequence is occupied by the same amino acid residue or nucleotide as the corresponding position in the second sequence, then the molecules are identical at that position. The percent identity between the two sequences is

a function of the number of identical positions shared by the sequences (i.e., % identity = # of identical positions/total # of positions (e.g., overlapping positions) x 100). In one embodiment, the two sequences are the same length.

5 The determination of percent identity between two sequences can be accomplished using a mathematical algorithm. A preferred, non-limiting example of a mathematical algorithm utilized for the comparison of two sequences is the algorithm of Karlin and Altschul (1990) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 87:2264-2268, modified as in Karlin and Altschul (1993) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 90:5873-5877. Such an algorithm is incorporated into the NBLAST and XBLAST programs of Altschul, et al. (1990) *J. Mol.*
10 *Biol.* 215:403-410. BLAST nucleotide searches can be performed with the NBLAST program, score = 100, wordlength = 12 to obtain nucleotide sequences homologous to a nucleic acid molecules of the invention. BLAST protein searches can be performed with the XBLAST program, score = 50, wordlength = 3 to obtain amino acid sequences homologous to a protein molecules of the invention. To obtain gapped alignments for
15 comparison purposes, Gapped BLAST can be utilized as described in Altschul et al. (1997) *Nucleic Acids Res.* 25:3389-3402. Alternatively, PSI-Blast can be used to perform an iterated search which detects distant relationships between molecules (*Id.*). When utilizing BLAST, Gapped BLAST, and PSI-Blast programs, the default parameters of the respective programs (e.g., XBLAST and NBLAST) can be used. See
20 <http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov>.

Another preferred, non-limiting example of a mathematical algorithm utilized for the comparison of sequences is the algorithm of Myers and Miller, CABIOS (1989). Such an algorithm is incorporated into the ALIGN program (version 2.0) which is part of the CGC sequence alignment software package. When utilizing the ALIGN program for
25 comparing amino acid sequences, a PAM120 weight residue table, a gap length penalty of 12, and a gap penalty of 4 can be used. Additional algorithms for sequence analysis are known in the art and include ADVANCE and ADAM as described in Torellis and Robotti (1994) *Comput. Appl. Biosci.*, 10:3-5; and FASTA described in Pearson and Lipman (1988) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci.* 85:2444-8. Within FASTA, ktup is a control option that sets
30 the sensitivity and speed of the search. If ktup=2, similar regions in the two sequences being compared are found by looking at pairs of aligned residues; if ktup=1, single aligned amino acids are examined. ktup can be set to 2 or 1 for protein sequences, or from 1 to 6 for DNA sequences. The default if ktup is not specified is 2 for proteins and 6 for DNA. For a further description of FASTA parameters, see
35 <http://bioweb.pasteur.fr/docs/man/man/fasta.1.html#sect2>, the contents of which are incorporated herein by reference.

The percent identity between two sequences can be determined using techniques similar to those described above, with or without allowing gaps. In calculating percent identity, only exact matches are counted.

5 The invention also provides chimeric or fusion proteins. As used herein, a "chimeric protein" or "fusion protein" comprises all or part (preferably biologically active) of a polypeptide of the invention operably linked to a heterologous polypeptide (i.e., a polypeptide other than the same polypeptide of the invention). Within the fusion protein, the term "operably linked" is intended to indicate that the polypeptide of the invention and the heterologous polypeptide are fused in-frame to each other. The heterologous
10 polypeptide can be fused to the N-terminus or C-terminus of the polypeptide of the invention.

One useful fusion protein is a GST fusion protein in which the polypeptide of the invention is fused to the C-terminus of GST sequences. Such fusion proteins can facilitate the purification of a recombinant polypeptide of the invention.
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In another embodiment, the fusion protein contains a heterologous signal sequence at its N-terminus. For example, the native signal sequence of a polypeptide of the invention can be removed and replaced with a signal sequence from another protein. For example, the gp67 secretory sequence of the baculovirus envelope protein can be used as a
20 heterologous signal sequence (*Current Protocols in Molecular Biology*, Ausubel et al., eds., John Wiley & Sons, 1992). Other examples of eukaryotic heterologous signal sequences include the secretory sequences of melittin and human placental alkaline phosphatase (Stratagene; La Jolla, California). In yet another example, useful prokaryotic heterologous signal sequences include the phoA secretory signal (Sambrook et al., *supra*)
25 and the protein A secretory signal (Pharmacia Biotech; Piscataway, New Jersey).

In yet another embodiment, the fusion protein is an immunoglobulin fusion protein in which all or part of a polypeptide of the invention is fused to sequences derived from a member of the immunoglobulin protein family. The immunoglobulin fusion proteins of the invention can be incorporated into pharmaceutical compositions and administered to a
30 subject to inhibit an interaction between a ligand (soluble or membrane-bound) and a protein on the surface of a cell (receptor), to thereby suppress signal transduction *in vivo*. The immunoglobulin fusion protein can be used to affect the bioavailability of a cognate ligand of a polypeptide of the invention. Inhibition of ligand/receptor interaction may be useful therapeutically, both for treating proliferative and differentiative disorders and for
35 modulating (e.g., promoting or inhibiting) cell survival. Moreover, the immunoglobulin fusion proteins of the invention can be used as immunogens to produce antibodies directed

against a polypeptide of the invention in a subject, to purify ligands and in screening assays to identify molecules which inhibit the interaction of receptors with ligands.

Chimeric and fusion proteins of the invention can be produced by standard recombinant DNA techniques. In another embodiment, the fusion gene can be synthesized
5 by conventional techniques including automated DNA synthesizers. Alternatively, PCR amplification of gene fragments can be carried out using anchor primers which give rise to complementary overhangs between two consecutive gene fragments which can subsequently be annealed and reamplified to generate a chimeric gene sequence (*see, e.g.,* Ausubel et al., *supra*). Moreover, many expression vectors are commercially available
10 that already encode a fusion moiety (*e.g.,* a GST polypeptide). A nucleic acid encoding a polypeptide of the invention can be cloned into such an expression vector such that the fusion moiety is linked in-frame to the polypeptide of the invention.

A signal sequence of a polypeptide of the invention (SEQ ID NO:5, 12, 19, 25, 30,
15 41, 49 or 59) can be used to facilitate secretion and isolation of the secreted protein or other proteins of interest. Signal sequences are typically characterized by a core of hydrophobic amino acids which are generally cleaved from the mature protein during secretion in one or more cleavage events. Such signal peptides contain processing sites that allow cleavage of the signal sequence from the mature proteins as they pass through
20 the secretory pathway. Thus, the invention pertains to the described polypeptides having a signal sequence, as well as to the signal sequence itself and to the polypeptide in the absence of the signal sequence (*i.e.,* the cleavage products). In one embodiment, a nucleic acid sequence encoding a signal sequence of the invention can be operably linked in an expression vector to a protein of interest, such as a protein which is ordinarily not secreted or is otherwise difficult to isolate. The signal sequence directs secretion of the protein,
25 such as from a eukaryotic host into which the expression vector is transformed, and the signal sequence is subsequently or concurrently cleaved. The protein can then be readily purified from the extracellular medium by art recognized methods. Alternatively, the signal sequence can be linked to the protein of interest using a sequence which facilitates purification, such as with a GST domain.
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In another embodiment, the signal sequences of the present invention can be used to identify regulatory sequences, *e.g.,* promoters, enhancers, repressors. Since signal
sequences are the most amino-terminal sequences of a peptide, it is expected that the nucleic acids which flank the signal sequence on its amino-terminal side will be regulatory
35 sequences which affect transcription. Thus, a nucleotide sequence which encodes all or a portion of a signal sequence can be used as a probe to identify and isolate signal sequences

and their flanking regions, and these flanking regions can be studied to identify regulatory elements therein.

The present invention also pertains to variants of the polypeptides of the invention. Such variants have an altered amino acid sequence which can function as either agonists (mimetics) or as antagonists. Variants can be generated by mutagenesis, *e.g.*, discrete point mutation or truncation. An agonist can retain substantially the same, or a subset, of the biological activities of the naturally occurring form of the protein. An antagonist of a protein can inhibit one or more of the activities of the naturally occurring form of the protein by, for example, competitively binding to a downstream or upstream member of a cellular signaling cascade which includes the protein of interest. Thus, specific biological effects can be elicited by treatment with a variant of limited function. Treatment of a subject with a variant having a subset of the biological activities of the naturally occurring form of the protein can have fewer side effects in a subject relative to treatment with the naturally occurring form of the protein.

Variants of a protein of the invention which function as either agonists (mimetics) or as antagonists can be identified by screening combinatorial libraries of mutants, *e.g.*, truncation mutants, of the protein of the invention for agonist or antagonist activity. In one embodiment, a variegated library of variants is generated by combinatorial mutagenesis at the nucleic acid level and is encoded by a variegated gene library. A variegated library of variants can be produced by, for example, enzymatically ligating a mixture of synthetic oligonucleotides into gene sequences such that a degenerate set of potential protein sequences is expressible as individual polypeptides, or alternatively, as a set of larger fusion proteins (*e.g.*, for phage display). There are a variety of methods which can be used to produce libraries of potential variants of the polypeptides of the invention from a degenerate oligonucleotide sequence. Methods for synthesizing degenerate oligonucleotides are known in the art (*see, e.g.*, Narang (1983) *Tetrahedron* 39:3; Itakura et al. (1984) *Annu. Rev. Biochem.* 53:323; Itakura et al. (1984) *Science* 198:1056; Ike et al. (1983) *Nucleic Acid Res.* 11:477).

In addition, libraries of fragments of the coding sequence of a polypeptide of the invention can be used to generate a variegated population of polypeptides for screening and subsequent selection of variants. For example, a library of coding sequence fragments can be generated by treating a double stranded PCR fragment of the coding sequence of interest with a nuclease under conditions wherein nicking occurs only about once per molecule, denaturing the double stranded DNA, renaturing the DNA to form double stranded DNA which can include sense/antisense pairs from different nicked products, removing single stranded portions from reformed duplexes by treatment with S1 nuclease,

and ligating the resulting fragment library into an expression vector. By this method, an expression library can be derived which encodes N-terminal and internal fragments of various sizes of the protein of interest.

5 Several techniques are known in the art for screening gene products of combinatorial libraries made by point mutations or truncation, and for screening cDNA
libraries for gene products having a selected property. The most widely used techniques, which are amenable to high through-put analysis, for screening large gene libraries typically include cloning the gene library into replicable expression vectors, transforming
10 appropriate cells with the resulting library of vectors, and expressing the combinatorial genes under conditions in which detection of a desired activity facilitates isolation of the vector encoding the gene whose product was detected. Recursive ensemble mutagenesis (REM), a technique which enhances the frequency of functional mutants in the libraries, can be used in combination with the screening assays to identify variants of a protein of the invention (Arkin and Yourvan (1992) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 89:7811-7815;
15 Delgrave et al. (1993) *Protein Engineering* 6(3):327-331).

The polypeptides of the invention can exhibit post-translational modifications, including, but not limited to glycosylations, (e.g., N-linked or O-linked glycosylations), myristylations, palmitylations, acetylations and phosphorylations (e.g., serine/threonine or
20 tyrosine). In one embodiment, the TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 or TANGO 281 polypeptides of the invention exhibit reduced levels of O-linked glycosylation and/or N-linked glycosylation relative to endogenously expressed TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 or TANGO 281 polypeptides of the invention do not exhibit O-linked glycosylation or N-linked glycosylation. The post-translational
25 modifications of TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 or TANGO 281 polypeptides will vary depending upon the host cell in which in TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 or TANGO 281 is expressed. Further, post-translational modifications of TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 or TANGO 281 polypeptides such as glycosylation can be prevented by treating cells, e.g., with
30 tunicamycin.

An isolated polypeptide of the invention, or a fragment thereof, can be used as an immunogen to generate antibodies using standard techniques for polyclonal and monoclonal antibody preparation. The full-length polypeptide or protein can be used or, alternatively, the invention provides antigenic peptide fragments for use as immunogens.
35 In one embodiment, an isolated polypeptide or fragment thereof which lacks N- and/or O-linked glycosylation is used as an immunogen to generate antibodies using standard techniques known to those of skill in the art. The antigenic peptide of a protein of the

invention comprises at least 8 (preferably 10, 15, 20, or 30) amino acid residues of the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162 or 164 and encompasses an epitope of the protein
5 such that an antibody raised against the peptide forms a specific immune complex with the protein.

Preferred epitopes encompassed by the antigenic peptide are regions that are located on the surface of the protein, *e.g.*, hydrophilic regions. Figures 2, 4, 10, 12, 19, 21, 29 and 32, are hydropathy plots of the proteins of the invention. These plots or similar
10 analyses can be used to identify hydrophilic regions.

An immunogen typically is used to prepare antibodies by immunizing a suitable subject, (*e.g.*, rabbit, goat, mouse or other mammal). An appropriate immunogenic preparation can contain, for example, recombinantly expressed or chemically synthesized polypeptide. The preparation can further include an adjuvant, such as Freund's complete
15 or incomplete adjuvant, or similar immunostimulatory agent.

Accordingly, another aspect of the invention pertains to antibodies directed against a polypeptide of the invention. The term "antibody" as used herein refers to immunoglobulin molecules and immunologically active portions of immunoglobulin
20 molecules, *i.e.*, molecules that contain an antigen binding site which specifically binds an antigen, such as a polypeptide of the invention *e.g.*, an epitope of a polypeptide of the invention. A molecule which specifically binds to a given polypeptide of the invention is a molecule which binds the polypeptide, but does not substantially bind other molecules in a sample, *e.g.*, a biological sample, which naturally contains the polypeptide. Examples of
25 immunologically active portions of immunoglobulin molecules include F(ab) and F(ab')₂ fragments which can be generated by treating the antibody with an enzyme such as pepsin. The invention provides polyclonal and monoclonal antibodies. The term "monoclonal antibody" or "monoclonal antibody composition", as used herein, refers to a population of antibody molecules that contain only one species of an antigen binding site capable of
30 immunoreacting with a particular epitope.

Polyclonal antibodies can be prepared as described above by immunizing a suitable subject with a polypeptide of the invention as an immunogen. Preferred polyclonal antibody compositions are ones that have been selected for antibodies directed against a polypeptide or polypeptides of the invention. Particularly preferred polyclonal
35 antibody preparations are ones that contain only antibodies directed against a polypeptide or polypeptides of the invention. Particularly preferred immunogen compositions are

those that contain no other human proteins such as, for example, immunogen compositions made using a non-human host cell for recombinant expression of a polypeptide of the invention. In such a manner, the only human epitope or epitopes recognized by the resulting antibody compositions raised against this immunogen will be present as part of a polypeptide or polypeptides of the invention.

The antibody titer in an immunized subject can be monitored over time by standard techniques, such as with an enzyme linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA) using immobilized polypeptide. If desired, the antibody molecules can be isolated from the mammal (*e.g.*, from the blood) and further purified by well-known techniques, such as protein A chromatography to obtain the IgG fraction. Alternatively, antibodies specific for a protein or polypeptide of the invention can be selected for (*e.g.*, partially purified) or purified by, *e.g.*, affinity chromatography. For example, a recombinantly expressed and purified (or partially purified) protein of the invention is produced as described herein, and covalently or non-covalently coupled to a solid support such as, for example, a chromatography column. The column can then be used to affinity purify antibodies specific for the proteins of the invention from a sample containing antibodies directed against a large number of different epitopes, thereby generating a substantially purified antibody composition, *i.e.*, one that is substantially free of contaminating antibodies. By a substantially purified antibody composition is meant, in this context, that the antibody sample contains at most only 30% (by dry weight) of contaminating antibodies directed against epitopes other than those on the desired protein or polypeptide of the invention, and preferably at most 20%, yet more preferably at most 10%, and most preferably at most 5% (by dry weight) of the sample is contaminating antibodies. A purified antibody composition means that at least 99% of the antibodies in the composition are directed against the desired protein or polypeptide of the invention.

At an appropriate time after immunization, *e.g.*, when the specific antibody titers are highest, antibody-producing cells can be obtained from the subject and used to prepare monoclonal antibodies by standard techniques, such as the hybridoma technique originally described by Kohler and Milstein (1975) *Nature* 256:495-497, the human B cell hybridoma technique (Kozbor et al. (1983) *Immunol. Today* 4:72), the EBV-hybridoma technique (Cole et al. (1985), *Monoclonal Antibodies and Cancer Therapy*, Alan R. Liss, Inc., pp. 77-96) or trioma techniques. The technology for producing hybridomas is well known (*see generally Current Protocols in Immunology* (1994) Coligan et al. (eds.) John Wiley & Sons, Inc., New York, NY). Hybridoma cells producing a monoclonal antibody of the invention are detected by screening the hybridoma culture supernatants for antibodies that bind the polypeptide of interest, *e.g.*, using a standard ELISA assay.

Alternative to preparing monoclonal antibody-secreting hybridomas, a monoclonal antibody directed against a polypeptide of the invention can be identified and isolated by screening a recombinant combinatorial immunoglobulin library (e.g., an antibody phage display library) with the polypeptide of interest. Kits for generating and screening phage display libraries are commercially available (e.g., the Pharmacia *Recombinant Phage Antibody System*, Catalog No. 27-9400-01; and the Stratagene *SurfZAP™ Phage Display Kit*, Catalog No. 240612). Additionally, examples of methods and reagents particularly amenable for use in generating and screening antibody display library can be found in, for example, U.S. Patent No. 5,223,409; PCT Publication No. WO 92/18619; PCT Publication No. WO 91/17271; PCT Publication No. WO 92/20791; PCT Publication No. WO 92/15679; PCT Publication No. WO 93/01288; PCT Publication No. WO 92/01047; PCT Publication No. WO 92/09690; PCT Publication No. WO 90/02809; Fuchs et al. (1991) *Bio/Technology* 9:1370-1372; Hay et al. (1992) *Hum. Antibod. Hybridomas* 3:81-85; Huse et al. (1989) *Science* 246:1275-1281; Griffiths et al. (1993) *EMBO J.* 12:725-734.

Additionally, recombinant antibodies, such as chimeric and humanized monoclonal antibodies, comprising both human and non-human portions, which can be made using standard recombinant DNA techniques, are within the scope of the invention. A chimeric antibody is a molecule in which different portions are derived from different animal species, such as those having a variable region derived from a murine mAb and a human immunoglobulin constant region. (See, e.g., Cabilly et al., U.S. Patent No. 4,816,567; and Boss et al., U.S. Patent No. 4,816,397, which are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.) Humanized antibodies are antibody molecules from non-human species having one or more complementarily determining regions (CDRs) from the non-human species and a framework region from a human immunoglobulin molecule. (See, e.g., Queen, U.S. Patent No. 5,585,089, which is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.) Such chimeric and humanized monoclonal antibodies can be produced by recombinant DNA techniques known in the art, for example using methods described in PCT Publication No. WO 87/02671; European Patent Application 184,187; European Patent Application 171,496; European Patent Application 173,494; PCT Publication No. WO 86/01533; U.S. Patent No. 4,816,567; European Patent Application 125,023; Better et al. (1988) *Science* 240:1041-1043; Liu et al. (1987) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 84:3439-3443; Liu et al. (1987) *J. Immunol.* 139:3521-3526; Sun et al. (1987) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 84:214-218; Nishimura et al. (1987) *Canc. Res.* 47:999-1005; Wood et al. (1985) *Nature* 314:446-449; and Shaw et al. (1988) *J. Natl. Cancer Inst.* 80:1553-1559; Morrison (1985) *Science* 229:1202-1207; Oi et al. (1986) *Bio/Techniques* 4:214; U.S.

Patent 5,225,539; Jones et al. (1986) *Nature* 321:552-525; Verhoeyan et al. (1988) *Science* 239:1534; and Beidler et al. (1988) *J. Immunol.* 141:4053-4060.

Completely human antibodies are particularly desirable for therapeutic treatment of human patients. Such antibodies can be produced, for example, using transgenic mice which are incapable of expressing endogenous immunoglobulin heavy and light chain genes, but which can express human heavy and light chain genes. The transgenic mice are immunized in the normal fashion with a selected antigen, *e.g.*, all or a portion of a polypeptide of the invention. Monoclonal antibodies directed against the antigen can be obtained using conventional hybridoma technology. The human immunoglobulin transgenes harbored by the transgenic mice rearrange during B cell differentiation, and subsequently undergo class switching and somatic mutation. Thus, using such a technique, it is possible to produce therapeutically useful IgG, IgA and IgE antibodies. For an overview of this technology for producing human antibodies, see Lonberg and Huszar (1995, *Int. Rev. Immunol.* 13:65-93). For a detailed discussion of this technology for producing human antibodies and human monoclonal antibodies and protocols for producing such antibodies, *see, e.g.*, U.S. Patent 5,625,126; U.S. Patent 5,633,425; U.S. Patent 5,569,825; U.S. Patent 5,661,016; and U.S. Patent 5,545,806. In addition, companies such as Abgenix, Inc. (Freemont, CA), can be engaged to provide human antibodies directed against a selected antigen using technology similar to that described above.

Completely human antibodies which recognize a selected epitope can be generated using a technique referred to as "guided selection." In this approach a selected non-human monoclonal antibody, *e.g.*, a mouse antibody, is used to guide the selection of a completely human antibody recognizing the same epitope. (Jespers et al. (1994) *Bio/technology* 12:899-903).

An antibody directed against a polypeptide of the invention (*e.g.*, monoclonal antibody) can be used to isolate the polypeptide by standard techniques, such as affinity chromatography or immunoprecipitation. Moreover, such an antibody can be used to detect the protein (*e.g.*, in a cellular lysate or cell supernatant) in order to evaluate the abundance and pattern of expression of the polypeptide. The antibodies can also be used diagnostically to monitor protein levels in tissue as part of a clinical testing procedure, *e.g.*, to, for example, determine the efficacy of a given treatment regimen. Detection can be facilitated by coupling the antibody to a detectable substance. Examples of detectable substances include various enzymes, prosthetic groups, fluorescent materials, luminescent materials, bioluminescent materials, and radioactive materials. Examples of suitable enzymes include horseradish peroxidase, alkaline phosphatase, beta-galactosidase, or

acetylcholinesterase; examples of suitable prosthetic group complexes include streptavidin/biotin and avidin/biotin; examples of suitable fluorescent materials include umbelliferone, fluorescein, fluorescein isothiocyanate, rhodamine, dichlorotriazinylamine fluorescein, dansyl chloride or phycoerythrin; an example of a luminescent material
5 includes luminol; examples of bioluminescent materials include luciferase, luciferin, and aequorin, and examples of suitable radioactive material include ^{125}I , ^{131}I , ^{35}S or ^3H .

Further, an antibody (or fragment thereof) can be conjugated to a therapeutic moiety such as a cytotoxin, a therapeutic agent or a radioactive metal ion. A cytotoxin or cytotoxic agent includes any agent that is detrimental to cells. Examples include taxol,
10 cytochalasin B, gramicidin D, ethidium bromide, emetine, mitomycin, etoposide, tenoposide, vincristine, vinblastine, colchicin, doxorubicin, daunorubicin, dihydroxy anthracin dione, mitoxantrone, mithramycin, actinomycin D, 1-dehydrotestosterone, glucocorticoids, procaine, tetracaine, lidocaine, propranolol, and puromycin and analogs or homologs thereof. Therapeutic agents include, but are not limited to, antimetabolites
15 (*e.g.*, methotrexate, 6-mercaptopurine, 6-thioguanine, cytarabine, 5-fluorouracil decarbazine), alkylating agents (*e.g.*, mechlorethamine, thioepa chlorambucil, melphalan, carmustine (BSNU) and lomustine (CCNU), cyclophosphamide, busulfan, dibromomannitol, streptozotocin, mitomycin C, and cis-dichlorodiamine platinum (II) (DDP) cisplatin), anthracyclines (*e.g.*, daunorubicin (formerly daunomycin) and
20 doxorubicin), antibiotics (*e.g.*, dactinomycin (formerly actinomycin), bleomycin, mithramycin, and anthramycin (AMC)), and anti-mitotic agents (*e.g.*, vincristine and vinblastine).

The conjugates of the invention can be used for modifying a given biological response, the drug moiety is not to be construed as limited to classical chemical
25 therapeutic agents. For example, the drug moiety may be a protein or polypeptide possessing a desired biological activity. Such proteins may include, for example, a toxin such as abrin, ricin A, pseudomonas exotoxin, or diphtheria toxin; a protein such as tumor necrosis factor, d-interferon, β -interferon, nerve growth factor, platelet derived growth factor, tissue plasminogen activator; or, biological response modifiers such as, for
30 example, lymphokines, interleukin-1 ("IL-1"), interleukin-2 ("IL-2"), interleukin-6 ("IL-6"), granulocyte macrophage colony stimulating factor ("GM-CSF"), granulocyte colony stimulating factor ("G-CSF"), or other growth factors.

Techniques for conjugating a therapeutic moiety to antibodies are well known, see,
35 *e.g.*, Arnon et al., "Monoclonal Antibodies For Immunotargeting Of Drugs In Cancer Therapy", in Monoclonal Antibodies And Cancer Therapy, Reisfeld et al. (eds.), pp. 243-56 (Alan R. Liss, Inc. 1985); Hellstrom et al., "Antibodies For Drug Delivery", in

Controlled Drug Delivery (2nd Ed.), Robinson et al. (eds.), pp. 623-53 (Marcel Dekker, Inc. 1987); Thorpe, "Antibody Carriers Of Cytotoxic Agents In Cancer Therapy: A Review", in Monoclonal Antibodies '84: Biological And Clinical Applications, Pinchera et al. (eds.), pp. 475-506 (1985); "Analysis, Results, And Future Prospective Of The
5 Therapeutic Use Of Radiolabeled Antibody In Cancer Therapy", in Monoclonal Antibodies For Cancer Detection And Therapy, Baldwin et al. (eds.), pp. 303-16 (Academic Press 1985), and Thorpe et al., "The Preparation And Cytotoxic Properties Of Antibody-Toxin Conjugates", Immunol. Rev., 62:119-58 (1982).

10 Alternatively, an antibody can be conjugated to a second antibody to form an antibody heteroconjugate as described by Segal in U.S. Patent No. 4,676,980.

Accordingly, in one aspect, the invention provides substantially purified antibodies or fragment thereof, including human, non-human, chimeric, and humanized antibodies, which antibodies or fragments specifically bind to a polypeptide comprising an amino acid
15 sequence of any one of SEQ ID NOs:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162 or 164, or an amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of a clone deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221, or
20 patent deposit Number PTA-224, or a complement thereof. In another aspect, the invention provides substantially purified antibodies or fragments thereof, including human, non-human, chimeric and humanized antibodies, which antibodies or fragments thereof specifically bind to a polypeptide comprising a fragment of at least 8 contiguous amino acid residues, preferably at least 15 contiguous amino acid residues, of the amino
25 acid sequence of any one of SEQ ID NOs:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162, or 164.

In another aspect, the invention provides substantially purified antibodies or fragments thereof, including human, non-human, chimeric and humanized antibodies, which antibodies or fragments thereof, which antibodies or fragments thereof specifically
30 bind to a polypeptide comprising an amino acid sequence which is at least 95% identical to the amino acid sequence of any one of SEQ ID NOs:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162 or 164, wherein the percent
35 identity is determined using the ALIGN program of the GCG software package with a PAM120 weight residue table, a gap length penalty of 12, and a gap penalty of 4. In another aspect, the invention provides substantially purified antibodies or fragments

thereof, including human, non-human, chimeric and humanized antibodies, which antibodies or fragments thereof specifically bind to a polypeptide comprising an amino acid sequence which is encoded by a nucleic acid molecule which hybridizes to the nucleic acid molecule consisting of any one of SEQ ID Nos:1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 80, 91, 100, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192, or the cDNA insert of a clone deposited as ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession number 207221 or patent deposit Number PTA-224, or a complement thereof, under conditions of hybridization of 6X SSC at 45°C and washing in 0.2 X SSC, 0.1% SDS at 50°C, 55°C, 60°C or 65°C.

In various embodiments, the substantially purified antibodies or fragments thereof of the invention are polyclonal, monoclonal, Fab fragments, single chain antibodies, or F(ab')₂ fragments. The non-human antibodies or fragments thereof of the invention can be goat, mouse, sheep, horse, chicken, rabbit or rat antibodies or antibodies fragments. In a preferred embodiment, the antibodies of the invention are monoclonal antibodies that specifically bind to a polypeptide of the invention.

The substantially purified antibodies or fragments thereof specifically bind to a signal peptide, a secreted sequence, an extracellular domain, a transmembrane or a cytoplasmic domain cytoplasmic membrane of a polypeptide of the invention. In a particularly preferred embodiment, the substantially purified antibodies or fragments thereof of the invention specifically bind to a secreted sequence or an extracellular domain of the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162 or 164, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the EpT253, EpTm253, EpT257, EpTm257, EpT258, EpTm258, EpT281 or EpTm281 cDNA insert of ATCC® Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221, or patent deposit Number PTA-224, or a complement thereof. In one embodiment, the extracellular domain to which the antibody or antibody fragment binds comprises at least 8 contiguous amino acid residues, preferably at least 10 or at least 15 contiguous amino acid residues, of amino acid residues 30 to 206 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:76), amino acid residues 272 to 370 of SEQ ID NO:28 (SEQ ID NO:34); amino acid residues 30 to 249 of SEQ ID NO:39 (SEQ ID NO: 83), amino acid residues 39 to 123 of SEQ ID NO:48 (SEQ ID NO:50), or amino acid residues 27 to 112 of SEQ ID NO:58 (SEQ ID NO:61).

Any of the antibodies of the invention can be conjugated to a therapeutic moiety or to a detectable substance. Non-limiting examples of detectable substances that can be conjugated to the antibodies of the invention are an enzyme, a prosthetic group, a fluorescent material, a luminescent material, a bioluminescent material, and a radioactive material.

The invention also provides a kit containing an antibody of the invention conjugated to a detectable substance, and instructions for use. Still another aspect of the invention is a pharmaceutical composition comprising an antibody of the invention and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier. In preferred embodiments, the pharmaceutical composition contains an antibody of the invention, a therapeutic moiety, and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

Still another aspect of the invention is a method of making an antibody that specifically recognizes TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258, and TANGO 281, the method comprising immunizing a mammal with a polypeptide. In one embodiment, the polypeptide used as an immunogen comprises an amino acid sequence of any one of SEQ ID NOs:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162 or 164, or an amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of a clone deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221, or patent deposit Number PTA-224. In another embodiment, the polypeptide used as an immunogen comprises a fragment of at least 15 amino acid residues, preferably at least 25 amino acid residues, of the amino acid sequence of any one of SEQ ID NOs:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162 or 164, or an amino acid sequence which is at least 85%, preferably at least 95% identical to the amino acid sequence of any one of SEQ ID NOs:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162 or 164, wherein the percent identity is determined using the ALIGN program of the GCG software package with a PAM120 weight residue table, a gap length penalty of 12, and a gap penalty of 4.

In another embodiment, the polypeptide used as an immunogen comprises an amino acid sequence which is encoded by a nucleic acid molecule which hybridizes to the nucleic acid molecule consisting of any one of SEQ ID NOs:1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56, 57, 77, 80, 91, 100, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153,

155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191 or 192, or the cDNA insert of a clone deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221, or patent
5 deposit Number PTA-224, or a complement thereof, under conditions of hybridization of 6X SSC at 45°C and washing in 0.2 X SSC, 0.1% SDS at 50°C, 55°C, 60°C or 65°C. After immunization, a sample is collected from the mammal that contains an antibody that specifically recognizes TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 or TANGO 281, a fragment thereof, or allelic variant thereof. Preferably, the polypeptide is recombinantly
10 produced using a non-human host cell. Optionally, the antibodies can be further purified from the sample using techniques well known to those of skill in the art. The method can further comprise producing a monoclonal antibody- producing cell from the cells of the mammal. Optionally, antibodies are collected from the antibody-producing cell.

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III. Recombinant Expression Vectors and Host Cells

Another aspect of the invention pertains to vectors, preferably expression vectors, containing a nucleic acid encoding a polypeptide of the invention (or a portion thereof). As used herein, the term "vector" refers to a nucleic acid molecule capable of transporting
20 another nucleic acid to which it has been linked. One type of vector is a "plasmid", which refers to a circular double stranded DNA loop into which additional DNA segments can be ligated. Another type of vector is a viral vector, wherein additional DNA segments can be ligated into the viral genome. Certain vectors are capable of autonomous replication in a host cell into which they are introduced (*e.g.*, bacterial vectors having a bacterial origin of
25 replication and episomal mammalian vectors). Other vectors (*e.g.*, non-episomal mammalian vectors) are integrated into the genome of a host cell upon introduction into the host cell, and thereby are replicated along with the host genome. Moreover, certain vectors, expression vectors, are capable of directing the expression of genes to which they are operably linked. In general, expression vectors of utility in recombinant DNA
30 techniques are often in the form of plasmids (vectors). However, the invention is intended to include such other forms of expression vectors, such as viral vectors (*e.g.*, replication defective retroviruses, adenoviruses and adeno-associated viruses), which serve equivalent functions.

The recombinant expression vectors of the invention comprise a nucleic acid of the
35 invention in a form suitable for expression of the nucleic acid in a host cell. This means that the recombinant expression vectors include one or more regulatory sequences,

selected on the basis of the host cells to be used for expression, which is operably linked to the nucleic acid sequence to be expressed. Within a recombinant expression vector, "operably linked" is intended to mean that the nucleotide sequence of interest is linked to the regulatory sequence(s) in a manner which allows for expression of the nucleotide sequence (e.g., in an *in vitro* transcription/translation system or in a host cell when the vector is introduced into the host cell). The term "regulatory sequence" is intended to include promoters, enhancers and other expression control elements (e.g., polyadenylation signals). Such regulatory sequences are described, for example, in Goeddel, *Gene Expression Technology: Methods in Enzymology* 185, Academic Press, San Diego, CA (1990). Regulatory sequences include those which direct constitutive expression of a nucleotide sequence in many types of host cell and those which direct expression of the nucleotide sequence only in certain host cells (e.g., tissue-specific regulatory sequences). It will be appreciated by those skilled in the art that the design of the expression vector can depend on such factors as the choice of the host cell to be transformed, the level of expression of protein desired, etc. The expression vectors of the invention can be introduced into host cells to thereby produce proteins or peptides, including fusion proteins or peptides, encoded by nucleic acids as described herein.

The recombinant expression vectors of the invention can be designed for expression of a polypeptide of the invention in prokaryotic (e.g., *E. coli*) or eukaryotic cells (e.g., insect cells (using baculovirus expression vectors), yeast cells or mammalian cells). Suitable host cells are discussed further in Goeddel, *supra*. Alternatively, the recombinant expression vector can be transcribed and translated *in vitro*, for example using T7 promoter regulatory sequences and T7 polymerase.

Expression of proteins in prokaryotes is most often carried out in *E. coli* with vectors containing constitutive or inducible promoters directing the expression of either fusion or non-fusion proteins. Fusion vectors add a number of amino acids to a protein encoded therein, usually to the amino terminus of the recombinant protein. Such fusion vectors typically serve three purposes: 1) to increase expression of recombinant protein; 2) to increase the solubility of the recombinant protein; and 3) to aid in the purification of the recombinant protein by acting as a ligand in affinity purification. Often, in fusion expression vectors, a proteolytic cleavage site is introduced at the junction of the fusion moiety and the recombinant protein to enable separation of the recombinant protein from the fusion moiety subsequent to purification of the fusion protein. Such enzymes, and their cognate recognition sequences, include Factor Xa, thrombin and enterokinase. Typical fusion expression vectors include pGEX (Pharmacia Biotech Inc; Smith and Johnson (1988) *Gene* 67:31-40), pMAL (New England Biolabs, Beverly, MA) and pRIT5

(Pharmacia, Piscataway, NJ) which fuse glutathione S-transferase (GST), maltose E binding protein, or protein A, respectively, to the target recombinant protein.

5 Examples of suitable inducible non-fusion *E. coli* expression vectors include pTrc (Amann et al., (1988) *Gene* 69:301-315) and pET 11d (Studier et al., *Gene Expression Technology: Methods in Enzymology* 185, Academic Press, San Diego, California (1990) 60-89). Target gene expression from the pTrc vector relies on host RNA polymerase transcription from a hybrid trp-lac fusion promoter. Target gene expression from the pET 11d vector relies on transcription from a T7 gn10-lac fusion promoter mediated by a coexpressed viral RNA polymerase (T7 gn1). This viral polymerase is supplied by host strains BL21(DE3) or HMS174(DE3) from a resident λ prophage harboring a T7 gn1 gene under the transcriptional control of the lacUV 5 promoter.

10 One strategy to maximize recombinant protein expression in *E. coli* is to express the protein in a host bacteria with an impaired capacity to proteolytically cleave the recombinant protein (Gottesman, *Gene Expression Technology: Methods in Enzymology* 185, Academic Press, San Diego, California (1990) 119-128). Another strategy is to alter the nucleic acid sequence of the nucleic acid to be inserted into an expression vector so that the individual codons for each amino acid are those preferentially utilized in *E. coli* (Wada et al. (1992) *Nucleic Acids Res.* 20:2111-2118). Such alteration of nucleic acid sequences of the invention can be carried out by standard DNA synthesis techniques.

20 In another embodiment, the expression vector is a yeast expression vector. Examples of vectors for expression in yeast *S. cerevisiae* include pYepSec1 (Baldari et al. (1987) *EMBO J.* 6:229-234), pMFa (Kurjan and Herskowitz, (1982) *Cell* 30:933-943), pJRY88 (Schultz et al. (1987) *Gene* 54:113-123), pYES2 (Invitrogen Corporation, San Diego, CA), and pPicZ (Invitrogen Corp, San Diego, CA).

Alternatively, the expression vector is a baculovirus expression vector. Baculovirus vectors available for expression of proteins in cultured insect cells (e.g., Sf 9 cells) include the pAc series (Smith et al. (1983) *Mol. Cell Biol.* 3:2156-2165) and the pVL series (Lucklow and Summers (1989) *Virology* 170:31-39).

30 In yet another embodiment, a nucleic acid of the invention is expressed in mammalian cells using a mammalian expression vector. Examples of mammalian expression vectors include pCDM8 (Seed (1987) *Nature* 329:840) and pMT2PC (Kaufman et al. (1987) *EMBO J.* 6:187-195). When used in mammalian cells, the expression vector's control functions are often provided by viral regulatory elements. For example, commonly used promoters are derived from polyoma, Adenovirus 2,

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cytomegalovirus and Simian Virus 40. For other suitable expression systems for both prokaryotic and eukaryotic cells see chapters 16 and 17 of Sambrook et al., *supra*.

In another embodiment, the recombinant mammalian expression vector is capable of directing expression of the nucleic acid preferentially in a particular cell type (e.g., tissue-specific regulatory elements are used to express the nucleic acid). Tissue-specific regulatory elements are known in the art. Non-limiting examples of suitable tissue-specific promoters include the albumin promoter (liver-specific; Pinkert et al. (1987) *Genes Dev.* 1:268-277), lymphoid-specific promoters (Calame and Eaton (1988) *Adv. Immunol.* 43:235-275), in particular promoters of T cell receptors (Winoto and Baltimore (1989) *EMBO J.* 8:729-733) and immunoglobulins (Banerji et al. (1983) *Cell* 33:729-740; Queen and Baltimore (1983) *Cell* 33:741-748), neuron-specific promoters (e.g., the neurofilament promoter; Byrne and Ruddle (1989) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 86:5473-5477), pancreas-specific promoters (Edlund et al. (1985) *Science* 230:912-916), and mammary gland-specific promoters (e.g., milk whey promoter; U.S. Patent No. 4,873,316 and European Application Publication No. 264,166). Developmentally-regulated promoters are also encompassed, for example the mouse hox promoters (Kessel and Gruss (1990) *Science* 249:374-379) and the beta-fetoprotein promoter (Campes and Tilghman (1989) *Genes Dev.* 3:537-546).

The invention further provides a recombinant expression vector comprising a DNA molecule of the invention cloned into the expression vector in an antisense orientation. That is, the DNA molecule is operably linked to a regulatory sequence in a manner which allows for expression (by transcription of the DNA molecule) of an RNA molecule which is antisense to the mRNA encoding a polypeptide of the invention. Regulatory sequences operably linked to a nucleic acid cloned in the antisense orientation can be chosen which direct the continuous expression of the antisense RNA molecule in a variety of cell types, for instance viral promoters and/or enhancers, or regulatory sequences can be chosen which direct constitutive, tissue specific or cell type specific expression of antisense RNA. The antisense expression vector can be in the form of a recombinant plasmid, phagemid or attenuated virus in which antisense nucleic acids are produced under the control of a high efficiency regulatory region, the activity of which can be determined by the cell type into which the vector is introduced. For a discussion of the regulation of gene expression using antisense genes see Weintraub et al. (*Reviews - Trends in Genetics*, Vol. 1(1) 1986).

Another aspect of the invention pertains to host cells into which a recombinant expression vector of the invention has been introduced. The terms "host cell" and "recombinant host cell" are used interchangeably herein. It is understood that such terms

refer not only to the particular subject cell but to the progeny or potential progeny of such a cell. Because certain modifications may occur in succeeding generations due to either mutation or environmental influences, such progeny may not, in fact, be identical to the parent cell, but are still included within the scope of the term as used herein.

5 A host cell can be any prokaryotic (*e.g.*, *E. coli*) or eukaryotic cell (*e.g.*, insect cells, yeast or mammalian cells).

Vector DNA can be introduced into prokaryotic or eukaryotic cells via conventional transformation or transfection techniques. As used herein, the terms "transformation" and "transfection" are intended to refer to a variety of art-recognized techniques for introducing foreign nucleic acid into a host cell, including calcium phosphate or calcium chloride co-precipitation, DEAE-dextran-mediated transfection, lipofection, or electroporation. Suitable methods for transforming or transfecting host cells can be found in Sambrook, et al. (*supra*), and other laboratory manuals.

15 For stable transfection of mammalian cells, it is known that, depending upon the expression vector and transfection technique used, only a small fraction of cells may integrate the foreign DNA into their genome. In order to identify and select these integrants, a gene that encodes a selectable marker (*e.g.*, for resistance to antibiotics) is generally introduced into the host cells along with the gene of interest. Preferred
20 selectable markers include those which confer resistance to drugs, such as G418, hygromycin and methotrexate. Cells stably transfected with the introduced nucleic acid can be identified by drug selection (*e.g.*, cells that have incorporated the selectable marker gene will survive, while the other cells die).

In another embodiment, the expression characteristics of an endogenous (*e.g.*,
25 TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 and TANGO 281 genes) within a cell, cell line or microorganism may be modified by inserting a DNA regulatory element heterologous to the endogenous gene of interest into the genome of a cell, stable cell line or cloned microorganism such that the inserted regulatory element is operatively linked with the endogenous gene (*e.g.*, TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 and
30 TANGO 281 genes) and controls, modulates or activates. For example, endogenous TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 and TANGO 281 genes which are normally "transcriptionally silent", *i.e.*, a TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 and TANGO 281 genes which is normally not expressed, or are expressed only at very low levels in a cell line or microorganism, may be activated by inserting a regulatory element
35 which is capable of promoting the expression of a normally expressed gene product in that cell line or microorganism. Alternatively, transcriptionally silent, endogenous TANGO

253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 and TANGO 281 genes may be activated by insertion of a promiscuous regulatory element that works across cell types.

5 A heterologous regulatory element may be inserted into a stable cell line or cloned microorganism, such that it is operatively linked with endogenous TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 and TANGO 281 genes, using techniques, such as targeted homologous recombination, which are well known to those of skill in the art, and described *e.g.*, in Chappel, U.S. Patent No. 5,272,071; PCT publication No. WO 91/06667, published May 16, 1991.

10 A host cell of the invention, such as a prokaryotic or eukaryotic host cell in culture, can be used to produce a polypeptide of the invention. Accordingly, the invention further provides methods for producing a polypeptide of the invention using the host cells of the invention. In one embodiment, the method comprises culturing the host cell of invention (into which a recombinant expression vector encoding a polypeptide of the invention has been introduced) in a suitable medium such that the polypeptide is produced. In another
15 embodiment, the method further comprises isolating the polypeptide from the medium or the host cell.

The host cells of the invention can also be used to produce nonhuman transgenic animals. For example, in one embodiment, a host cell of the invention is a fertilized
20 oocyte or an embryonic stem cell into which a sequence encoding a polypeptide of the invention has been introduced. Such host cells can then be used to create non-human transgenic animals in which exogenous sequences encoding a polypeptide of the invention have been introduced into their genome or homologous recombinant animals in which endogenous encoding a polypeptide of the invention sequences have been altered. Such
25 animals are useful for studying the function and/or activity of the polypeptide and for identifying and/or evaluating modulators of polypeptide activity. As used herein, a "transgenic animal" is a non-human animal, preferably a mammal, more preferably a rodent such as a rat or mouse, in which one or more of the cells of the animal includes a transgene. Other examples of transgenic animals include non-human primates, sheep,
30 dogs, cows, goats, chickens, amphibians, etc. A transgene is exogenous DNA which is integrated into the genome of a cell from which a transgenic animal develops and which remains in the genome of the mature animal, thereby directing the expression of an encoded gene product in one or more cell types or tissues of the transgenic animal. As used herein, an "homologous recombinant animal" is a non-human animal, preferably a
35 mammal, more preferably a mouse, in which an endogenous gene has been altered by homologous recombination between the endogenous gene and an exogenous DNA

molecule introduced into a cell of the animal, *e.g.*, an embryonic cell of the animal, prior to development of the animal.

5 A transgenic animal of the invention can be created by introducing nucleic acid encoding a polypeptide of the invention (or a homologue thereof) into the male pronuclei of a fertilized oocyte, *e.g.*, by microinjection, retroviral infection, and allowing the oocyte to develop in a pseudopregnant female foster animal. Intronic sequences and polyadenylation signals can also be included in the transgene to increase the efficiency of expression of the transgene. A tissue-specific regulatory sequence(s) can be operably linked to the transgene to direct expression of the polypeptide of the invention to particular cells. Methods for generating transgenic animals via embryo manipulation and microinjection, particularly animals such as mice, have become conventional in the art and are described, for example, in U.S. Patent Nos. 4,736,866 and 4,870,009, U.S. Patent No. 4,873,191 and in Hogan, *Manipulating the Mouse Embryo*, (Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory Press, Cold Spring Harbor, N.Y., 1986) and Wakayama *et al.*, (1999), *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA*, 96:14984-14989. Similar methods are used for production of other transgenic animals. A transgenic founder animal can be identified based upon the presence of the transgene in its genome and/or expression of mRNA encoding the transgene in tissues or cells of the animals. A transgenic founder animal can then be used to breed additional animals carrying the transgene. Moreover, transgenic animals carrying the transgene can further be bred to other transgenic animals carrying other transgenes.

20 To create an homologous recombinant animal, a vector is prepared which contains at least a portion of a gene encoding a polypeptide of the invention into which a deletion, addition or substitution has been introduced to thereby alter, *e.g.*, functionally disrupt, the gene. In a preferred embodiment, the vector is designed such that, upon homologous recombination, the endogenous gene is functionally disrupted (*i.e.*, no longer encodes a functional protein; also referred to as a "knock out" vector). Alternatively, the vector can be designed such that, upon homologous recombination, the endogenous gene is mutated or otherwise altered but still encodes functional protein (*e.g.*, the upstream regulatory region can be altered to thereby alter the expression of the endogenous protein). In the homologous recombination vector, the altered portion of the gene is flanked at its 5' and 3' ends by additional nucleic acid of the gene to allow for homologous recombination to occur between the exogenous gene carried by the vector and an endogenous gene in an embryonic stem cell. The additional flanking nucleic acid sequences are of sufficient length for successful homologous recombination with the endogenous gene. Typically, several kilobases of flanking DNA (both at the 5' and 3' ends) are included in the vector (*see, e.g.*, Thomas and Capecchi (1987) *Cell* 51:503 for a description of homologous

recombination vectors). The vector is introduced into an embryonic stem cell line (e.g., by electroporation) and cells in which the introduced gene has homologously recombined with the endogenous gene are selected (see, e.g., Li et al. (1992) *Cell* 69:915). The selected cells are then injected into a blastocyst of an animal (e.g., a mouse) to form aggregation chimeras (see, e.g., Bradley in *Teratocarcinomas and Embryonic Stem Cells: A Practical Approach*, Robertson, ed. (IRL, Oxford, 1987) pp. 113-152). A chimeric embryo can then be implanted into a suitable pseudopregnant female foster animal and the embryo brought to term. Progeny harboring the homologously recombined DNA in their germ cells can be used to breed animals in which all cells of the animal contain the homologously recombined DNA by germline transmission of the transgene. Methods for constructing homologous recombination vectors and homologous recombinant animals are described further in Bradley (1991) *Current Opinion in Bio/Technology* 2:823-829 and in PCT Publication Nos. WO 90/11354, WO 91/01140, WO 92/0968, and WO 93/04169.

In another embodiment, transgenic non-human animals can be produced which contain selected systems which allow for regulated expression of the transgene. One example of such a system is the *cre/loxP* recombinase system of bacteriophage P1. For a description of the *cre/loxP* recombinase system, see, e.g., Lakso et al. (1992) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 89:6232-6236. Another example of a recombinase system is the FLP recombinase system of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* (O'Gorman et al. (1991) *Science* 251:1351-1355. If a *cre/loxP* recombinase system is used to regulate expression of the transgene, animals containing transgenes encoding both the *Cre* recombinase and a selected protein are required. Such animals can be provided through the construction of "double" transgenic animals, e.g., by mating two transgenic animals, one containing a transgene encoding a selected protein and the other containing a transgene encoding a recombinase.

Clones of the non-human transgenic animals described herein can also be produced according to the methods described in Wilmut et al. (1997) *Nature* 385:810-813 and PCT Publication NOS. WO 97/07668 and WO 97/07669.

IV. Pharmaceutical Compositions

The nucleic acid molecules, polypeptides, and antibodies (also referred to herein as "active compounds") of the invention can be incorporated into pharmaceutical compositions suitable for administration. Such compositions typically comprise the nucleic acid molecule, protein, or antibody and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier. As used herein the language "pharmaceutically acceptable carrier" is intended to include any

and all solvents, dispersion media, coatings, antibacterial and antifungal agents, isotonic and absorption delaying agents, and the like, compatible with pharmaceutical administration. The use of such media and agents for pharmaceutically active substances is well known in the art. Except insofar as any conventional media or agent is
5 incompatible with the active compound, use thereof in the compositions is contemplated. Supplementary active compounds can also be incorporated into the compositions.

The invention includes methods for preparing pharmaceutical compositions for modulating the expression or activity of a polypeptide or nucleic acid of the invention. Such methods comprise formulating a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier with an agent
10 which modulates expression or activity of a polypeptide or nucleic acid of the invention. Such compositions can further include additional active agents. Thus, the invention further includes methods for preparing a pharmaceutical composition by formulating a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier with an agent which modulates expression or activity of a polypeptide or nucleic acid of the invention and one or more additional active
15 compounds.

A pharmaceutical composition of the invention is formulated to be compatible with its intended route of administration. Examples of routes of administration include parenteral, *e.g.*, intravenous, intradermal, subcutaneous, oral (*e.g.*, inhalation), transdermal (topical), transmucosal, and rectal administration. Solutions or suspensions used for
20 parenteral, intradermal, or subcutaneous application can include the following components: a sterile diluent such as water for injection, saline solution, fixed oils, polyethylene glycols, glycerine, propylene glycol or other synthetic solvents; antibacterial agents such as benzyl alcohol or methyl parabens; antioxidants such as ascorbic acid or sodium bisulfite; chelating agents such as ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid; buffers such as
25 acetates, citrates or phosphates and agents for the adjustment of tonicity such as sodium chloride or dextrose. pH can be adjusted with acids or bases, such as hydrochloric acid or sodium hydroxide. The parenteral preparation can be enclosed in ampoules, disposable syringes or multiple dose vials made of glass or plastic.

Pharmaceutical compositions suitable for injectable use include sterile aqueous
30 solutions (where water soluble) or dispersions and sterile powders for the extemporaneous preparation of sterile injectable solutions or dispersions. For intravenous administration, suitable carriers include physiological saline, bacteriostatic water, Cremophor EL™ (BASF; Parsippany, NJ) or phosphate buffered saline (PBS). In all cases, the composition
35 must be sterile and should be fluid to the extent that easy syringability exists. It must be stable under the conditions of manufacture and storage and must be preserved against the contaminating action of microorganisms such as bacteria and fungi. The carrier can be a

solvent or dispersion medium containing, for example, water, ethanol, polyol (for example, glycerol, propylene glycol, and liquid polyethylene glycol, and the like), and suitable mixtures thereof. The proper fluidity can be maintained, for example, by the use of a coating such as lecithin, by the maintenance of the required particle size in the case of
5 dispersion and by the use of surfactants. Prevention of the action of microorganisms can be achieved by various antibacterial and antifungal agents, for example, parabens, chlorobutanol, phenol, ascorbic acid, thimerosal, and the like. In many cases, it will be preferable to include isotonic agents, for example, sugars, polyalcohols such as mannitol, sorbitol, sodium chloride in the composition. Prolonged absorption of the injectable
10 compositions can be brought about by including in the composition an agent which delays absorption, for example, aluminum monostearate and gelatin.

Sterile injectable solutions can be prepared by incorporating the active compound (e.g., a polypeptide or antibody) in the required amount in an appropriate solvent with one or a combination of ingredients enumerated above, as required, followed by filtered
15 sterilization. Generally, dispersions are prepared by incorporating the active compound into a sterile vehicle which contains a basic dispersion medium and the required other ingredients from those enumerated above. In the case of sterile powders for the preparation of sterile injectable solutions, the preferred methods of preparation are vacuum drying and freeze-drying which yields a powder of the active ingredient plus any
20 additional desired ingredient from a previously sterile-filtered solution thereof.

Oral compositions generally include an inert diluent or an edible carrier. They can be enclosed in gelatin capsules or compressed into tablets. For the purpose of oral therapeutic administration, the active compound can be incorporated with excipients and used in the form of tablets, troches, or capsules. Oral compositions can also be prepared
25 using a fluid carrier for use as a mouthwash, wherein the compound in the fluid carrier is applied orally and swished and expectorated or swallowed.

Pharmaceutically compatible binding agents, and/or adjuvant materials can be included as part of the composition. The tablets, pills, capsules, troches and the like can
30 contain any of the following ingredients, or compounds of a similar nature: a binder such as microcrystalline cellulose, gum tragacanth or gelatin; an excipient such as starch or lactose, a disintegrating agent such as alginic acid, Primogel, or corn starch; a lubricant such as magnesium stearate or Sterotes; a glidant such as colloidal silicon dioxide; a sweetening agent such as sucrose or saccharin; or a flavoring agent such as peppermint, methyl salicylate, or orange flavoring.
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For administration by inhalation, the compounds are delivered in the form of an aerosol spray from a pressurized container or dispenser which contains a suitable propellant, *e.g.*, a gas such as carbon dioxide, or a nebulizer.

5 Systemic administration can also be by transmucosal or transdermal means. For transmucosal or transdermal administration, penetrants appropriate to the barrier to be permeated are used in the formulation. Such penetrants are generally known in the art, and include, for example, for transmucosal administration, detergents, bile salts, and fusidic acid derivatives. Transmucosal administration can be accomplished through the use of nasal sprays or suppositories. For transdermal administration, the active
10 compounds are formulated into ointments, salves, gels, or creams as generally known in the art.

The compounds can also be prepared in the form of suppositories (*e.g.*, with conventional suppository bases such as cocoa butter and other glycerides) or retention
15 enemas for rectal delivery.

In one embodiment, the active compounds are prepared with carriers that will protect the compound against rapid elimination from the body, such as a controlled release formulation, including implants and microencapsulated delivery systems. Biodegradable, biocompatible polymers can be used, such as ethylene vinyl acetate, polyanhydrides,
20 polyglycolic acid, collagen, polyorthoesters, and polylactic acid. Methods for preparation of such formulations will be apparent to those skilled in the art. The materials can also be obtained commercially from Alza Corporation and Nova Pharmaceuticals, Inc. Liposomal suspensions (including liposomes targeted to infected cells with monoclonal antibodies to viral antigens) can also be used as pharmaceutically acceptable carriers. These can be
25 prepared according to methods known to those skilled in the art, for example, as described in U.S. Patent No. 4,522,811.

It is especially advantageous to formulate oral or parenteral compositions in dosage unit form for ease of administration and uniformity of dosage. Dosage unit form as used herein refers to physically discrete units suited as unitary dosages for the subject to
30 be treated; each unit containing a predetermined quantity of active compound calculated to produce the desired therapeutic effect in association with the required pharmaceutical carrier. The specification for the dosage unit forms of the invention are dictated by and directly dependent on the unique characteristics of the active compound and the particular therapeutic effect to be achieved, and the limitations inherent in the art of compounding
35 such an active compound for the treatment of individuals.

For antibodies, the preferred dosage is 0.1 mg/kg to 100 mg/kg of body weight (generally 10 mg/kg to 20 mg/kg). If the antibody is to act in the brain, a dosage of 50 mg/kg to 100 mg/kg is usually appropriate. Generally, partially human antibodies and fully human antibodies have a longer half-life within the human body than other antibodies. Accordingly, lower dosages and less frequent administration is often possible. Modifications such as lipidation can be used to stabilize antibodies and to enhance uptake and tissue penetration (*e.g.*, into the brain). A method for lipidation of antibodies is described by Cruikshank et al. ((1997) *J. Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndromes and Human Retrovirology* 14:193).

As defined herein, a therapeutically effective amount of protein or polypeptide (*i.e.*, an effective dosage) ranges from about 0.001 to 30 mg/kg body weight, preferably about 0.01 to 25 mg/kg body weight, more preferably about 0.1 to 20 mg/kg body weight, and even more preferably about 1 to 10 mg/kg, 2 to 9 mg/kg, 3 to 8 mg/kg, 4 to 7 mg/kg, or 5 to 6 mg/kg body weight.

The skilled artisan will appreciate that certain factors may influence the dosage required to effectively treat a subject, including but not limited to the severity of the disease or disorder, previous treatments, the general health and/or age of the subject, and other diseases present. Moreover, treatment of a subject with a therapeutically effective amount of a protein, polypeptide, or antibody can include a single treatment or, preferably, can include a series of treatments. In a preferred example, a subject is treated with antibody, protein, or polypeptide in the range of between about 0.1 to 20 mg/kg body weight, one time per week for between about 1 to 10 weeks, preferably between 2 to 8 weeks, more preferably between about 3 to 7 weeks, and even more preferably for about 4, 5, or 6 weeks. It will also be appreciated that the effective dosage of antibody, protein, or polypeptide used for treatment may increase or decrease over the course of a particular treatment. Changes in dosage may result and become apparent from the results of diagnostic assays as described herein.

The present invention encompasses agents which modulate expression or activity. An agent may, for example, be a small molecule. For example, such small molecules include, but are not limited to, peptides, peptidomimetics, amino acids, amino acid analogs, polynucleotides, polynucleotide analogs, nucleotides, nucleotide analogs, organic or inorganic compounds (*i.e.*, including heteroorganic and organometallic compounds) having a molecular weight less than about 10,000 grams per mole, organic or inorganic compounds having a molecular weight less than about 5,000 grams per mole, organic or inorganic compounds having a molecular weight less than about 1,000 grams per mole,

organic or inorganic compounds having a molecular weight less than about 500 grams per mole, and salts, esters, and other pharmaceutically acceptable forms of such compounds.

It is understood that appropriate doses of small molecule agents depends upon a number of factors within the ken of the ordinarily skilled physician, veterinarian, or researcher. The dose(s) of the small molecule will vary, for example, depending upon the identity, size, and condition of the subject or sample being treated, further depending upon the route by which the composition is to be administered, if applicable, and the effect which the practitioner desires the small molecule to have upon the nucleic acid or polypeptide of the invention. Exemplary doses include milligram or microgram amounts of the small molecule per kilogram of subject or sample weight (*e.g.*, about 1 microgram per kilogram to about 500 milligrams per kilogram, about 100 micrograms per kilogram to about 5 milligrams per kilogram, or about 1 microgram per kilogram to about 50 micrograms per kilogram. It is furthermore understood that appropriate doses of a small molecule depend upon the potency of the small molecule with respect to the expression or activity to be modulated. Such appropriate doses may be determined using the assays described herein. When one or more of these small molecules is to be administered to an animal (*e.g.*, a human) in order to modulate expression or activity of a polypeptide or nucleic acid of the invention, a physician, veterinarian, or researcher may, for example, prescribe a relatively low dose at first, subsequently increasing the dose until an appropriate response is obtained. In addition, it is understood that the specific dose level for any particular animal subject will depend upon a variety of factors including the activity of the specific compound employed, the age, body weight, general health, gender, and diet of the subject, the time of administration, the route of administration, the rate of excretion, any drug combination, and the degree of expression or activity to be modulated.

The nucleic acid molecules of the invention can be inserted into vectors and used as gene therapy vectors. Gene therapy vectors can be delivered to a subject by, for example, intravenous injection, local administration (U.S. Patent 5,328,470) or by stereotactic injection (*see, e.g.*, Chen et al. (1994) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 91:3054-3057). The pharmaceutical preparation of the gene therapy vector can include the gene therapy vector in an acceptable diluent, or can comprise a slow release matrix in which the gene delivery vehicle is imbedded. Alternatively, where the complete gene delivery vector can be produced intact from recombinant cells, *e.g.*, retroviral vectors, the pharmaceutical preparation can include one or more cells which produce the gene delivery system.

The pharmaceutical compositions can be included in a container, pack, or dispenser together with instructions for administration.

V. Uses and Methods of the Invention

The nucleic acid molecules, proteins, protein homologues, and antibodies described herein can be used in one or more of the following methods: a) screening assays; b) detection assays (*e.g.*, chromosomal mapping, tissue typing, forensic biology); c) 5 predictive medicine (*e.g.*, diagnostic assays, prognostic assays, monitoring clinical trials, and pharmacogenomics); and d) methods of treatment (*e.g.*, therapeutic and prophylactic). The isolated nucleic acid molecules of the invention can be used to express proteins (*e.g.*, via a recombinant expression vector in a host cell in gene therapy applications), to detect mRNA (*e.g.*, in a biological sample) or a genetic lesion, and to modulate activity of a 10 polypeptide of the invention. In addition, the polypeptides of the invention can be used to screen drugs or compounds which modulate activity or expression of a polypeptide of the invention as well as to treat disorders characterized by insufficient or excessive production of a protein of the invention or production of a form of a protein of the invention which has decreased or aberrant activity compared to the wild type protein. In addition, the 15 antibodies of the invention can be used to detect and isolate a protein of the and modulate activity of a protein of the invention.

This invention further pertains to novel agents identified by the above-described screening assays and uses thereof for treatments as described herein.

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A. Screening Assays

The invention provides a method (also referred to herein as a "screening assay") for identifying modulators, *i.e.*, candidate or test compounds or agents (*e.g.*, peptides, peptidomimetics, small molecules or other drugs) which bind to polypeptide of the 25 invention or have a stimulatory or inhibitory effect on, for example, expression or activity of a polypeptide of the invention.

In one embodiment, the invention provides assays for screening candidate or test compounds which bind to or modulate the activity of the membrane-bound form of a 30 polypeptide of the invention or biologically active portion thereof. The test compounds of the present invention can be obtained using any of the numerous approaches in combinatorial library methods known in the art, including: biological libraries; spatially addressable parallel solid phase or solution phase libraries; synthetic library methods requiring deconvolution; the "one-bead one-compound" library method; and synthetic 35 library methods using affinity chromatography selection. The biological library approach is limited to peptide libraries, while the other four approaches are applicable to peptide,

non-peptide oligomer or small molecule libraries of compounds (Lam (1997) *Anticancer Drug Des.* 12:145).

Examples of methods for the synthesis of molecular libraries can be found in the art, for example in: DeWitt et al. (1993) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 90:6909; Erb et al. (1994) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 91:11422; Zuckermann et al. (1994). *J. Med. Chem.* 37:2678; Cho et al. (1993) *Science* 261:1303; Carrell et al. (1994) *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed. Engl.* 33:2059; Carrell et al. (1994) *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed. Engl.* 33:2061; and Gallop et al. (1994) *J. Med. Chem.* 37:1233.

Libraries of compounds may be presented in solution (e.g., Houghten (1992) *Bio/Techniques* 13:412-421), or on beads (Lam (1991) *Nature* 354:82-84), chips (Fodor (1993) *Nature* 364:555-556), bacteria (U.S. Patent No. 5,223,409), spores (Patent NOS. 5,571,698; 5,403,484; and 5,223,409), plasmids (Cull et al. (1992) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 89:1865-1869) or phage (Scott and Smith (1990) *Science* 249:386-390; Devlin (1990) *Science* 249:404-406; Cwirla et al. (1990) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 87:6378-6382; and Felici (1991) *J. Mol. Biol.* 222:301-310).

In one embodiment, an assay is a cell-based assay in which a cell which expresses a membrane-bound form of a polypeptide of the invention, or a biologically active portion thereof, on the cell surface is contacted with a test compound and the ability of the test compound to bind to the polypeptide determined. The cell, for example, can be a yeast cell or a cell of mammalian origin. Determining the ability of the test compound to bind to the polypeptide can be accomplished, for example, by coupling the test compound with a radioisotope or enzymatic label such that binding of the test compound to the polypeptide or biologically active portion thereof can be determined by detecting the labeled compound in a complex. For example, test compounds can be labeled with ^{125}I , ^{35}S , ^{14}C , or ^3H , either directly or indirectly, and the radioisotope detected by direct counting of radioemmission or by scintillation counting. Alternatively, test compounds can be enzymatically labeled with, for example, horseradish peroxidase, alkaline phosphatase, or luciferase, and the enzymatic label detected by determination of conversion of an appropriate substrate to product. In a preferred embodiment, the assay comprises contacting a cell which expresses a membrane-bound form of a polypeptide of the invention, or a biologically active portion thereof, on the cell surface with a known compound which binds the polypeptide to form an assay mixture, contacting the assay mixture with a test compound, and determining the ability of the test compound to interact with the polypeptide, wherein determining the ability of the test compound to interact with the polypeptide comprises determining the ability of the test compound to preferentially

bind to the polypeptide or a biologically active portion thereof as compared to the known compound.

5 In another embodiment, an assay is a cell-based assay comprising contacting a cell expressing a membrane-bound form of a polypeptide of the invention, or a biologically active portion thereof, on the cell surface with a test compound and determining the ability of the test compound to modulate (*e.g.*, stimulate or inhibit) the activity of the polypeptide or biologically active portion thereof. Determining the ability of the test compound to modulate the activity of the polypeptide or a biologically active portion thereof can be accomplished, for example, by determining the ability of the polypeptide protein to bind to
10 or interact with a target molecule.

Determining the ability of a polypeptide of the invention to bind to or interact with a target molecule can be accomplished by one of the methods described above for determining direct binding. As used herein, a "target molecule" is a molecule with which a selected polypeptide (*e.g.*, a polypeptide of the invention) binds or interacts with in
15 nature, for example, a molecule on the surface of a cell which expresses the selected protein, a molecule on the surface of a second cell, a molecule in the extracellular milieu, a molecule associated with the internal surface of a cell membrane or a cytoplasmic molecule. A target molecule can be a polypeptide of the invention or some other polypeptide or protein. For example, a target molecule can be a component of a signal
20 transduction pathway which facilitates transduction of an extracellular signal (*e.g.*, a signal generated by binding of a compound to a polypeptide of the invention) through the cell membrane and into the cell or a second intercellular protein which has catalytic activity or a protein which facilitates the association of downstream signaling molecules with a polypeptide of the invention. Determining the ability of a polypeptide of the invention to
25 bind to or interact with a target molecule can be accomplished by determining the activity of the target molecule. For example, the activity of the target molecule can be determined by detecting induction of a cellular second messenger of the target (*e.g.*, intracellular Ca^{2+} , diacylglycerol, IP3, etc.), detecting catalytic/enzymatic activity of the target on an appropriate substrate, detecting the induction of a reporter gene (*e.g.*, a regulatory element
30 that is responsive to a polypeptide of the invention operably linked to a nucleic acid encoding a detectable marker, *e.g.*, luciferase), or detecting a cellular response, for example, cellular differentiation, or cell proliferation.

In yet another embodiment, an assay of the present invention is a cell-free assay
35 comprising contacting a polypeptide of the invention or biologically active portion thereof with a test compound and determining the ability of the test compound to bind to the polypeptide or biologically active portion thereof. Binding of the test compound to the

polypeptide can be determined either directly or indirectly as described above. In a preferred embodiment, the assay includes contacting the polypeptide of the invention or biologically active portion thereof with a known compound which binds the polypeptide to form an assay mixture, contacting the assay mixture with a test compound, and
5 determining the ability of the test compound to interact with the polypeptide, wherein determining the ability of the test compound to interact with the polypeptide comprises determining the ability of the test compound to preferentially bind to the polypeptide or biologically active portion thereof as compared to the known compound.

In another embodiment, an assay is a cell-free assay comprising contacting a
10 polypeptide of the invention or biologically active portion thereof with a test compound and determining the ability of the test compound to modulate (*e.g.*, stimulate or inhibit) the activity of the polypeptide or biologically active portion thereof. Determining the ability of the test compound to modulate the activity of the polypeptide can be accomplished, for example, by determining the ability of the polypeptide to bind to a
15 target molecule by one of the methods described above for determining direct binding. In an alternative embodiment, determining the ability of the test compound to modulate the activity of the polypeptide can be accomplished by determining the ability of the polypeptide of the invention to further modulate the target molecule. For example, the catalytic/enzymatic activity of the target molecule on an appropriate substrate can be
20 determined as previously described.

In yet another embodiment, the cell-free assay comprises contacting a polypeptide of the invention or biologically active portion thereof with a known compound which binds the polypeptide to form an assay mixture, contacting the assay mixture with a test
25 compound, and determining the ability of the test compound to interact with the polypeptide, wherein determining the ability of the test compound to interact with the polypeptide comprises determining the ability of the polypeptide to preferentially bind to or modulate the activity of a target molecule.

The cell-free assays of the present invention are amenable to use of both a soluble
30 form or the membrane-bound form of a polypeptide of the invention. In the case of cell-free assays comprising the membrane-bound form of the polypeptide, it may be desirable to utilize a solubilizing agent such that the membrane-bound form of the polypeptide is maintained in solution. Examples of such solubilizing agents include non-ionic detergents such as n-octylglucoside, n-dodecylglucoside, n-octylmaltoside,
35 octanoyl-N-methylglucamide, decanoyl-N-methylglucamide, Triton X-100, Triton X-114, Thesit, Isotridecypoly(ethylene glycol ether)n, 3-[(3-cholamidopropyl)dimethylamminio]-1-propane sulfonate (CHAPS),

3-[(3-cholamidopropyl)dimethylamminio]-2-hydroxy-1-propane sulfonate (CHAPSO), or N-dodecyl=N,N-dimethyl-3-ammonio-1-propane sulfonate.

In more than one embodiment of the above assay methods of the present invention, it may be desirable to immobilize either the polypeptide of the invention or its target molecule to facilitate separation of complexed from uncomplexed forms of one or both of the proteins, as well as to accommodate automation of the assay. Binding of a test compound to the polypeptide, or interaction of the polypeptide with a target molecule in the presence and absence of a candidate compound, can be accomplished in any vessel suitable for containing the reactants. Examples of such vessels include microtitre plates, test tubes, and micro-centrifuge tubes. In one embodiment, a fusion protein can be provided which adds a domain that allows one or both of the proteins to be bound to a matrix. For example, glutathione-S-transferase fusion proteins or glutathione-S-transferase fusion proteins can be adsorbed onto glutathione sepharose beads (Sigma Chemical; St. Louis, MO) or glutathione derivatized microtitre plates, which are then combined with the test compound or the test compound and either the non-adsorbed target protein or A polypeptide of the invention, and the mixture incubated under conditions conducive to complex formation (*e.g.*, at physiological conditions for salt and pH). Following incubation, the beads or microtitre plate wells are washed to remove any unbound components and complex formation is measured either directly or indirectly, for example, as described above. Alternatively, the complexes can be dissociated from the matrix, and the level of binding or activity of the polypeptide of the invention can be determined using standard techniques.

Other techniques for immobilizing proteins on matrices can also be used in the screening assays of the invention. For example, either the polypeptide of the invention or its target molecule can be immobilized utilizing conjugation of biotin and streptavidin. Biotinylated polypeptide of the invention or target molecules can be prepared from biotin-NHS (N-hydroxy-succinimide) using techniques well known in the art (*e.g.*, biotinylation kit, Pierce Chemicals; Rockford, IL), and immobilized in the wells of streptavidin-coated 96 well plates (Pierce Chemical). Alternatively, antibodies reactive with the polypeptide of the invention or target molecules but which do not interfere with binding of the polypeptide of the invention to its target molecule can be derivatized to the wells of the plate, and unbound target or polypeptide of the invention trapped in the wells by antibody conjugation. Methods for detecting such complexes, in addition to those described above for the GST-immobilized complexes, include immunodetection of complexes using antibodies reactive with the polypeptide of the invention or target

molecule, as well as enzyme-linked assays which rely on detecting an enzymatic activity associated with the polypeptide of the invention or target molecule.

5 In another embodiment, modulators of expression of a polypeptide of the invention are identified in a method in which a cell is contacted with a candidate compound and the expression of the selected mRNA or protein (*i.e.*, the mRNA or protein corresponding to a polypeptide or nucleic acid of the invention) in the cell is determined. The level of expression of the selected mRNA or protein in the presence of the candidate compound is compared to the level of expression of the selected mRNA or protein in the absence of the candidate compound. The candidate compound can then be identified as a modulator of expression of the polypeptide of the invention based on this comparison. For example, 10 when expression of the selected mRNA or protein is greater (statistically significantly greater) in the presence of the candidate compound than in its absence, the candidate compound is identified as a stimulator of the selected mRNA or protein expression. Alternatively, when expression of the selected mRNA or protein is less (statistically significantly less) in the presence of the candidate compound than in its absence, the candidate compound is identified as an inhibitor of the selected mRNA or protein expression. The level of the selected mRNA or protein expression in the cells can be determined by methods described herein. 15

20 In yet another aspect of the invention, a polypeptide of the inventions can be used as "bait proteins" in a two-hybrid assay or three hybrid assay (*see, e.g.*, U.S. Patent No. 5,283,317; Zervos et al. (1993) *Cell* 72:223-232; Madura et al. (1993) *J. Biol. Chem.* 268:12046-12054; Bartel et al. (1993) *Bio/Techniques* 14:920-924; Iwabuchi et al. (1993) *Oncogene* 8:1693-1696; and PCT Publication No. WO 94/10300), to identify other proteins, which bind to or interact with the polypeptide of the invention and modulate activity of the polypeptide of the invention. Such binding proteins are also likely to be involved in the propagation of signals by the polypeptide of the inventions as, for example, upstream or downstream elements of a signaling pathway involving the polypeptide of the invention. 25

30 This invention further pertains to novel agents identified by the above-described screening assays and uses thereof for treatments as described herein.

B. Detection Assays

35 Portions or fragments of the cDNA sequences identified herein (and the corresponding complete gene sequences) can be used in numerous ways as polynucleotide reagents. For example, these sequences can be used to: (i) map their respective genes on a

chromosome and, thus, locate gene regions associated with genetic disease; (ii) identify an individual from a minute biological sample (tissue typing); and (iii) aid in forensic identification of a biological sample. These applications are described in the subsections below.

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1. Chromosome Mapping

Once the sequence (or a portion of the sequence) of a gene has been isolated, this sequence can be used to map the location of the gene on a chromosome. Accordingly, nucleic acid molecules described herein or fragments thereof, can be used to map the location of the corresponding genes on a chromosome. The mapping of the sequences to chromosomes is an important first step in correlating these sequences with genes associated with disease.

Briefly, genes can be mapped to chromosomes by preparing PCR primers (preferably 15-25 bp in length) from the sequence of a gene of the invention. Computer analysis of the sequence of a gene of the invention can be used to rapidly select primers that do not span more than one exon in the genomic DNA, thus complicating the amplification process. These primers can then be used for PCR screening of somatic cell hybrids containing individual human chromosomes. Only those hybrids containing the human gene corresponding to the gene sequences will yield an amplified fragment. For a review of this technique, see D'Eustachio et al. ((1983) *Science* 220:919-924).

PCR mapping of somatic cell hybrids is a rapid procedure for assigning a particular sequence to a particular chromosome. Three or more sequences can be assigned per day using a single thermal cycler. Using the nucleic acid sequences of the invention to design oligonucleotide primers, sublocalization can be achieved with panels of fragments from specific chromosomes. Other mapping strategies which can similarly be used to map a gene to its chromosome include *in situ* hybridization (described in Fan et al. (1990) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 87:6223-27), pre-screening with labeled flow-sorted chromosomes (CITE), and pre-selection by hybridization to chromosome specific cDNA libraries. Fluorescence *in situ* hybridization (FISH) of a DNA sequence to a metaphase chromosomal spread can further be used to provide a precise chromosomal location in one step. For a review of this technique, see Verma et al., (Human Chromosomes: A Manual of Basic Techniques (Pergamon Press, New York, 1988)).

Reagents for chromosome mapping can be used individually to mark a single chromosome or a single site on that chromosome, or panels of reagents can be used for marking multiple sites and/or multiple chromosomes. Reagents corresponding to

noncoding regions of the genes actually are preferred for mapping purposes. Coding sequences are more likely to be conserved within gene families, thus increasing the chance of cross hybridizations during chromosomal mapping.

5 Once a sequence has been mapped to a precise chromosomal location, the physical position of the sequence on the chromosome can be correlated with genetic map data. (Such data are found, for example, in V. McKusick, Mendelian Inheritance in Man, available on-line through Johns Hopkins University Welch Medical Library). The relationship between genes and disease, mapped to the same chromosomal region, can then be identified through linkage analysis (co-inheritance of physically adjacent genes),
10 described in, *e.g.*, Egeland et al. (1987) *Nature* 325:783-787.

Moreover, differences in the DNA sequences between individuals affected and unaffected with a disease associated with a gene of the invention can be determined. If a mutation is observed in some or all of the affected individuals but not in any unaffected
15 individuals, then the mutation is likely to be the causative agent of the particular disease. Comparison of affected and unaffected individuals generally involves first looking for structural alterations in the chromosomes such as deletions or translocations that are visible from chromosome spreads or detectable using PCR based on that DNA sequence. Ultimately, complete sequencing of genes from several individuals can be performed to
20 confirm the presence of a mutation and to distinguish mutations from polymorphisms.

Furthermore, the nucleic acid sequences disclosed herein can be used to perform searches against "mapping databases", *e.g.*, BLAST-type search, such that the chromosome position of the gene is identified by sequence homology or identity with known sequence fragments which have been mapped to chromosomes.

25 In the instant case, the human gene for INTERCEPT 258 has been mapped to the long arm of chromosome 11, in the region q23. Flanking markers for this region are D11S936 and D11S933. The CMT4B (Charcot Marie Tooth neuropathy), ED4 (ecotodermal dysplasia), JBS (Jacobsen Syndrome), TCPT (thrombocytopenia) loci also map to this region of the human chromosome. The APOLP1 (apoplipoprotein cluster),
30 DRD2 (dopamine receptor), and RDX (radixin) genes also map to this region of the human chromosome. This region is syntenic to mouse chromosome 9. The atm (ataxia telangiectasia), ruf (rough fur), and vs (variable spotting) loci map to this region of the mouse chromosome. The lu (luxoid), vs (variable spotting), atm (ataxia telangiectasia), rug (rough fur), and lap1 (leucine arylaminopeptidase) genes also map to this region of the
35 mouse chromosome.

A polypeptide and fragments and sequences thereof and antibodies specific thereto can be used to map the location of the gene encoding the polypeptide on a chromosome. This mapping can be carried out by specifically detecting the presence of the polypeptide in members of a panel of somatic cell hybrids between cells of a first species of animal
5 from which the protein originates and cells from a second species of animal and then determining which somatic cell hybrid(s) expresses the polypeptide and noting the chromosome(s) from the first species of animal that it contains. For examples of this technique, see Pajunen *et al.* (1988) *Cytogenet. Cell Genet.* 47:37-41 and Van Keuren *et al.* (1986) *Hum. Genet.* 74:34-40. Alternatively, the presence of the polypeptide in the
10 somatic cell hybrids can be determined by assaying an activity or property of the polypeptide, for example, enzymatic activity, as described in Bordelon-Riser *et al.* (1979) *Somatic Cell Genetics* 5:597-613 and Owerbach *et al.* (1978) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 75:5640-5644.

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2. Tissue Typing

The nucleic acid sequences of the present invention can also be used to identify individuals from minute biological samples. The United States military, for example, is considering the use of restriction fragment length polymorphism (RFLP) for identification
20 of its personnel. In this technique, an individual's genomic DNA is digested with one or more restriction enzymes, and probed on a Southern blot to yield unique bands for identification. This method does not suffer from the current limitations of "Dog Tags" which can be lost, switched, or stolen, making positive identification difficult. The sequences of the present invention are useful as additional DNA markers for RFLP
25 (described in U.S. Patent 5,272,057).

Furthermore, the sequences of the present invention can be used to provide an alternative technique which determines the actual base-by-base DNA sequence of selected portions of an individual's genome. Thus, the nucleic acid sequences described herein can be used to prepare two PCR primers from the 5' and 3' ends of the sequences. These
30 primers can then be used to amplify an individual's DNA and subsequently sequence it.

Panels of corresponding DNA sequences from individuals, prepared in this manner, can provide unique individual identifications, as each individual will have a unique set of such DNA sequences due to allelic differences. The sequences of the present invention can be used to obtain such identification sequences from individuals and from
35 tissue. The nucleic acid sequences of the invention uniquely represent portions of the human genome. Allelic variation occurs to some degree in the coding regions of these

sequences, and to a greater degree in the noncoding regions. It is estimated that allelic variation between individual humans occurs with a frequency at about once per each 500 bases. Each of the sequences described herein can, to some degree, be used as a standard against which DNA from an individual can be compared for identification purposes.

5 Because greater numbers of polymorphisms occur in the noncoding regions, fewer sequences are necessary to differentiate individuals. The noncoding sequences of SEQ ID NO:1, 8, 15, 21, 26, 37, 46 or 56, can comfortably provide positive individual identification with a panel of perhaps 10 to 1,000 primers which each yield a noncoding amplified sequence of 100 bases. If predicted coding sequences, such as those in SEQ ID

10 NO:2, 9, 16, 22, 27, 38, 47 or 57 are used, a more appropriate number of primers for positive individual identification would be 500-2,000.

If a panel of reagents from the nucleic acid sequences described herein is used to generate a unique identification database for an individual, those same reagents can later be used to identify tissue from that individual. Using the unique identification database,

15 positive identification of the individual, living or dead, can be made from extremely small tissue samples.

3. Use of Partial Gene Sequences in Forensic Biology

20 DNA-based identification techniques can also be used in forensic biology. Forensic biology is a scientific field employing genetic typing of biological evidence found at a crime scene as a means for positively identifying, for example, a perpetrator of a crime. To make such an identification, PCR technology can be used to amplify DNA sequences taken from very small biological samples such as tissues, *e.g.*, hair or skin, or

25 body fluids, *e.g.*, blood, saliva, or semen found at a crime scene. The amplified sequence can then be compared to a standard, thereby allowing identification of the origin of the biological sample.

The sequences of the present invention can be used to provide polynucleotide reagents, *e.g.*, PCR primers, targeted to specific loci in the human genome, which can

30 enhance the reliability of DNA-based forensic identifications by, for example, providing another "identification marker" (i.e. another DNA sequence that is unique to a particular individual). As mentioned above, actual base sequence information can be used for identification as an accurate alternative to patterns formed by restriction enzyme generated fragments. Sequences targeted to noncoding regions are particularly appropriate for this

35 use as greater numbers of polymorphisms occur in the noncoding regions, making it easier to differentiate individuals using this technique. Examples of polynucleotide reagents

include the nucleic acid sequences of the invention or portions thereof, *e.g.*, fragments derived from noncoding regions having a length of at least 20 or 30 bases.

The nucleic acid sequences described herein can further be used to provide polynucleotide reagents, *e.g.*, labeled or labelable probes which can be used in, for example, an *in situ* hybridization technique, to identify a specific tissue, *e.g.*, brain tissue. This can be very useful in cases where a forensic pathologist is presented with a tissue of unknown origin. Panels of such probes can be used to identify tissue by species and/or by organ type.

C. Predictive Medicine

The present invention also pertains to the field of predictive medicine in which diagnostic assays, prognostic assays, and monitoring clinical trials are used for prognostic (predictive) purposes to thereby treat an individual prophylactically. Accordingly, one aspect of the present invention relates to diagnostic assays for determining TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258, or TANGO 281 protein and/or nucleic acid expression as well as TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258, or TANGO 281 activity, in the context of a biological sample (*e.g.*, blood, serum, cells, tissue) to thereby determine whether an individual is afflicted with a disease or disorder, or is at risk of developing a disorder, associated with aberrant or unwanted TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258, or TANGO 281 expression or activity. The invention also provides for prognostic (or predictive) assays for determining whether an individual is at risk of developing a disorder associated with TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258, or TANGO 281 protein, nucleic acid expression or activity. For example, mutations in a TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258, or TANGO 281 gene can be assayed in a biological sample. Such assays can be used for prognostic or predictive purpose to thereby prophylactically treat an individual prior to the onset of a disorder characterized by or associated with TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258, or TANGO 281 protein, nucleic acid expression or activity.

As an alternative to making determinations based on the absolute expression level of selected genes, determinations may be based on the normalized expression levels of these genes. Expression levels are normalized by correcting the absolute expression level of a TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258, or TANGO 281 gene by comparing its expression to the expression of a gene that is not a TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258, or TANGO 281 gene, *e.g.*, a housekeeping gene that is constitutively expressed. Suitable genes for normalization include housekeeping genes such as the actin

gene. This normalization allows the comparison of the expression level in one sample, *e.g.*, a patient sample, to another sample, *e.g.*, a sample from an individual without a particular disease or disorder, or a sample from a healthy individual, or between samples from different sources.

5 Alternatively, the expression level can be provided as a relative expression level. To determine a relative expression level of a gene, the level of expression of the gene is determined for 10 or more samples of different cell isolates (*e.g.*, neural cell isolates, glial cell isolates, immune cell isolates, platelet isolates, megakaryocyte isolates, endothelial cell isolates, and osteocyte isolates) preferably 50 or more samples, prior to the
10 determination of the expression level for the sample in question. The mean expression level of each of the genes assayed in the larger number of samples is determined and this is used as a baseline expression level for the gene(s) in question. The expression level of the gene determined for the test sample (absolute level of expression) is then divided by
15 the mean expression value obtained for that gene. This provides a relative expression level and aids in identifying extreme cases of diseases and disorders such as obesity, coronary disorders (*e.g.*, atherosclerosis), neuronal disorders, pulmonary disorders, renal disorders, and bleeding disorders.

 Preferably, the samples used in the baseline determination will be from diseased or from non-diseased cells of the appropriate cell type or tissue. The choice of the cell source
20 is dependent on the use of the relative expression level. Using expression found in normal tissues as a mean expression score aids in validating whether the TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258, or TANGO 281 gene assayed is specific (versus normal cells). Such a use is particularly important in identifying whether a TANGO 253, TANGO 257,
25 INTERCEPT 258, or TANGO 281 gene can serve as a target gene. In addition, as more data is accumulated, the mean expression value can be revised, providing improved relative expression values based on accumulated data. Expression data from cells provides a means for grading the severity of the disease or disorder state.

 Another aspect of the invention pertains to monitoring the influence of agents (*e.g.*,
30 drugs, compounds) on the expression or activity of TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258, or TANGO 281 in clinical trials. These and other agents are described in further detail in the following sections.

35 1. Diagnostic Assays

 An exemplary method for detecting the presence or absence of a polypeptide or nucleic acid of the invention in a biological sample involves obtaining a biological sample

from a test subject and contacting the biological sample with a compound or an agent capable of detecting a polypeptide or nucleic acid (*e.g.*, mRNA, genomic DNA) of the invention such that the presence of a polypeptide or nucleic acid of the invention is detected in the biological sample. A preferred agent for detecting mRNA or genomic
5 DNA encoding a polypeptide of the invention is a labeled nucleic acid probe capable of hybridizing to mRNA or genomic DNA encoding a polypeptide of the invention. The nucleic acid probe can be, for example, a full-length cDNA, such as the nucleic acid of SEQ ID NO:1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 26, 27, 37, 38, 46, 47, 56 or 57, or a portion thereof, such as an oligonucleotide of at least 15, 30, 50, 100, 250 or 500 nucleotides in length and
10 sufficient to specifically hybridize under stringent conditions to a mRNA or genomic DNA encoding a polypeptide of the invention. Other suitable probes for use in the diagnostic assays of the invention are described herein.

A preferred agent for detecting a polypeptide of the invention is an antibody capable of binding to a polypeptide of the invention, preferably an antibody with a
15 detectable label. Antibodies can be polyclonal, or more preferably, monoclonal. An intact antibody, or a fragment thereof (*e.g.*, Fab or F(ab')₂) can be used. The term "labeled", with regard to the probe or antibody, is intended to encompass direct labeling of the probe or antibody by coupling (*i.e.*, physically linking) a detectable substance to the probe or antibody, as well as indirect labeling of the probe or antibody by reactivity with another
20 reagent that is directly labeled. Examples of indirect labeling include detection of a primary antibody using a fluorescently labeled secondary antibody and end-labeling of a DNA probe with biotin such that it can be detected with fluorescently labeled streptavidin. The term "biological sample" is intended to include tissues, cells and biological fluids isolated from a subject, as well as tissues, cells and fluids present within a subject. That
25 is, the detection method of the invention can be used to detect mRNA, protein, or genomic DNA in a biological sample *in vitro* as well as *in vivo*. For example, *in vitro* techniques for detection of mRNA include Northern hybridizations and *in situ* hybridizations. *In vitro* techniques for detection of a polypeptide of the invention include enzyme linked immunosorbent assays (ELISAs), Western blots, immunoprecipitations and
30 immunofluorescence. *In vitro* techniques for detection of genomic DNA include Southern hybridizations. Furthermore, *in vivo* techniques for detection of a polypeptide of the invention include introducing into a subject a labeled antibody directed against the polypeptide. For example, the antibody can be labeled with a radioactive marker whose presence and location in a subject can be detected by standard imaging techniques.
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In one embodiment, the biological sample contains protein molecules from the test subject. Alternatively, the biological sample can contain mRNA molecules from the test

subject or genomic DNA molecules from the test subject. A preferred biological sample is a peripheral blood leukocyte sample isolated by conventional means from a subject.

5 In another embodiment, the methods further involve obtaining a control biological sample from a control subject, contacting the control sample with a compound or agent capable of detecting a polypeptide of the invention or mRNA or genomic DNA encoding a polypeptide of the invention, such that the presence of the polypeptide or mRNA or genomic DNA encoding the polypeptide is detected in the biological sample, and comparing the presence of the polypeptide or mRNA or genomic DNA encoding the polypeptide in the control sample with the presence of the polypeptide or mRNA or genomic DNA encoding the polypeptide in the test sample.

10 The invention also encompasses kits for detecting the presence of a polypeptide or nucleic acid of the invention in a biological sample (a test sample). Such kits can be used to determine if a subject is suffering from or is at increased risk of developing a disorder associated with aberrant expression of a polypeptide of the invention, as discussed, for example, in sections above relating to uses of the sequences of the invention.

For example, kits can be used to determine if a subject is suffering from or is at increased risk of disorders such as coronary disorders (*e.g.*, heart diseases and disorders such as atherosclerosis, coronary artery disease and plaque formation), and adipocyte-related disorders (*e.g.*, obesity), which are associated with aberrant TANGO 253 expression. In another example, kits can be used to determine if a subject is suffering from or is at increased risk of disorders such as coronary disorders (*e.g.*, heart diseases and disorders such as atherosclerosis, coronary artery disease and plaque formation), olfactory disorders, neurological disorders (*e.g.*, neurodegenerative disorders, neuromuscular disorders, cognitive disorders, personality disorders, and motor disorder) and pulmonary disorders, (*e.g.*, cystic fibrosis), which are associated with aberrant TANGO 257 expression. In another example, kits can be used to determine if a subject is suffering from or is at increased risk of disorders such as Type I immunologic disorders, (*e.g.*, anaphylaxis and rhinitis), which are associated with aberrant INTERCEPT 258 expression. In another example, kits can be used to determine if a subject is suffering from or is at increased risk of disorders such as immunological disorders, (*e.g.* thrombocytopenia and platelet disorders), developmental disorders, coronary disorders, *e.g.*, ischemic heart disease or atherosclerosis, neurological disorders, (*e.g.*, head trauma and brain cancer), pulmonary disorders, (*e.g.*, lung cancer, cystic fibrosis and rheumatoid lung disease), kidney disorders, (*e.g.*, glomerulonephritis and end stage renal disease), autoimmune disorders, (*e.g.*, Crohn's disease) and embryonic disorders, which are associated with aberrant TANGO 281 expression. The kit, for example, can comprise a labeled compound

or agent capable of detecting the polypeptide or mRNA encoding the polypeptide in a biological sample and means for determining the amount of the polypeptide or mRNA in the sample (*e.g.*, an antibody which binds the polypeptide or an oligonucleotide probe which binds to DNA or mRNA encoding the polypeptide). Kits can also include
5 instructions for observing that the tested subject is suffering from or is at risk of developing a disorder associated with aberrant expression of the polypeptide if the amount of the polypeptide or mRNA encoding the polypeptide is above or below a normal level.

For antibody-based kits, the kit can comprise, for example: (1) a first antibody (*e.g.*, attached to a solid support) which binds to a polypeptide of the invention; and,
10 optionally, (2) a second, different antibody which binds to either the polypeptide or the first antibody and is conjugated to a detectable agent.

For oligonucleotide-based kits, the kit can comprise, for example: (1) an oligonucleotide, *e.g.*, a detectably labeled oligonucleotide, which hybridizes to a nucleic acid sequence encoding a polypeptide of the invention or (2) a pair of primers useful for
15 amplifying a nucleic acid molecule encoding a polypeptide of the invention. The kit can also comprise, *e.g.*, a buffering agent, a preservative, or a protein stabilizing agent. The kit can also comprise components necessary for detecting the detectable agent (*e.g.*, an enzyme or a substrate). The kit can also contain a control sample or a series of control
20 samples which can be assayed and compared to the test sample contained. Each component of the kit is usually enclosed within an individual container and all of the various containers are within a single package along with instructions for observing whether the tested subject is suffering from or is at risk of developing a disorder associated with aberrant expression of the polypeptide.

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2. Prognostic Assays

The methods described herein can furthermore be utilized as diagnostic or prognostic assays to identify subjects having or at risk of developing a disease or disorder associated with aberrant expression or activity of a polypeptide of the invention. For
30 example, the assays described herein, such as the preceding diagnostic assays or the following assays, can be utilized to identify a subject having or at risk of developing a disorder associated with aberrant expression or activity of a polypeptide of the invention, *e.g.*, coronary disorders, pulmonary disorders, kidney disorders or embryonic disorders. Alternatively, the prognostic assays can be utilized to identify a subject having or at risk
35 for developing such a disease or disorder. Thus, the present invention provides a method in which a test sample is obtained from a subject and a polypeptide or nucleic acid (*e.g.*,

mRNA, genomic DNA) of the invention is detected, wherein the presence of the polypeptide or nucleic acid is diagnostic for a subject having or at risk of developing a disease or disorder associated with aberrant expression or activity of the polypeptide. As used herein, a "test sample" refers to a biological sample obtained from a subject of interest. For example, a test sample can be a biological fluid (*e.g.*, serum), cell sample, or tissue.

The prognostic assays described herein, for example, can be used to identify a subject having or at risk of developing disorders such as disorders discussed, for example, in Sections above relating to uses of the sequences of the invention.

For example, such disorders can include coronary disorders (*e.g.*, heart diseases and disorders such as atherosclerosis, coronary artery disease and plaque formation) and adipocyte disorders (*e.g.*, obesity), which are associated with aberrant TANGO 253 expression. In another example, prognostic assays described herein, can be used to identify a subject having or at risk of developing disorders such as coronary disorders (*e.g.*, heart diseases and disorders such as atherosclerosis, coronary artery disease and plaque formation), olfactory disorders, neurological disorders (*e.g.*, neurodegenerate disorders, neuromuscular disorders, cognitive disorders, personality disorders, and motor disorders), and pulmonary disorders, (*e.g.*, cystic fibrosis), which are associated with aberrant TANGO 257 expression. In another example, prognostic assays described herein, can be used to identify a subject having or at risk of developing disorders such as Type I immunologic disorders, (*e.g.*, anaphylaxis and rhinitis), which are associated with aberrant INTERCEPT 258 expression. In another example, prognostic assays described herein, for example, can be used to identify a subject having or at risk of developing disorders such as immunological disorders, (*e.g.* thrombocytopenia and platelet disorders), developmental disorders, coronary disorders, (*e.g.*, ischemic heart disease and atherosclerosis), neurological disorders, (*e.g.*, head trauma and brain cancer), pulmonary disorders, (*e.g.*, lung cancer, cystic fibrosis and rheumatoid lung disease), kidney disorders, (*e.g.*, glomerulonephritis and end stage renal disease), autoimmune disorders, (*e.g.*, Crohn's disease) and embryonic disorders, which are associated with aberrant TANGO 281 expression.

Furthermore, the prognostic assays described herein can be used to determine whether a subject can be administered an agent (*e.g.*, an agonist, antagonist, peptidomimetic, protein, peptide, nucleic acid, small molecule, or other drug candidate) to treat a disease or disorder associated with aberrant expression or activity of a polypeptide of the invention. For example, such methods can be used to determine whether a subject can be effectively treated with a specific agent or class of agents (*e.g.*, agents of a type

which decrease activity of the polypeptide). Thus, the present invention provides methods for determining whether a subject can be effectively treated with an agent for a disorder associated with aberrant expression or activity of a polypeptide of the invention in which a test sample is obtained and the polypeptide or nucleic acid encoding the polypeptide is detected (e.g., wherein the presence of the polypeptide or nucleic acid is diagnostic for a subject that can be administered the agent to treat a disorder associated with aberrant expression or activity of the polypeptide).

The methods of the invention can also be used to detect genetic lesions or mutations in a gene of the invention, thereby determining if a subject with the lesioned gene is at risk for a disorder characterized aberrant expression or activity of a polypeptide of the invention. In preferred embodiments, the methods include detecting, in a sample of cells from the subject, the presence or absence of a genetic lesion or mutation characterized by at least one of an alteration affecting the integrity of a gene encoding the polypeptide of the invention, or the mis-expression of the gene encoding the polypeptide of the invention. For example, such genetic lesions or mutations can be detected by ascertaining the existence of at least one of: 1) a deletion of one or more nucleotides from the gene; 2) an addition of one or more nucleotides to the gene; 3) a substitution of one or more nucleotides of the gene; 4) a chromosomal rearrangement of the gene; 5) an alteration in the level of a messenger RNA transcript of the gene; 6) an aberrant modification of the gene, such as of the methylation pattern of the genomic DNA; 7) the presence of a non-wild type splicing pattern of a messenger RNA transcript of the gene; 8) a non-wild type level of a the protein encoded by the gene; 9) an allelic loss of the gene; and 10) an inappropriate post-translational modification of the protein encoded by the gene. As described herein, there are a large number of assay techniques known in the art which can be used for detecting lesions in a gene.

In certain embodiments, detection of the lesion involves the use of a probe/primer in a polymerase chain reaction (PCR) (see, e.g., U.S. Patent Nos. 4,683,195 and 4,683,202), such as anchor PCR or RACE PCR, or, alternatively, in a ligation chain reaction (LCR) (see, e.g., Landegran et al. (1988) *Science* 241:1077-1080; and Nakazawa et al. (1994) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 91:360-364), the latter of which can be particularly useful for detecting point mutations in a gene (see, e.g., Abravaya et al. (1995) *Nucleic Acids Res.* 23:675-682). This method can include the steps of collecting a sample of cells from a patient, isolating nucleic acid (e.g., genomic, mRNA or both) from the cells of the sample, contacting the nucleic acid sample with one or more primers which specifically hybridize to the selected gene under conditions such that hybridization and amplification of the gene (if present) occurs, and detecting the presence or absence of an

amplification product, or detecting the size of the amplification product and comparing the length to a control sample. It is anticipated that PCR and/or LCR may be desirable to use as a preliminary amplification step in conjunction with any of the techniques used for detecting mutations described herein.

5 Alternative amplification methods include: self sustained sequence replication (Guatelli et al. (1990) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 87:1874-1878), transcriptional amplification system (Kwoh, et al. (1989) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 86:1173-1177), Q-Beta Replicase (Lizardi et al. (1988) *Bio/Technology* 6:1197), or any other nucleic acid amplification method, followed by the detection of the amplified molecules using
10 techniques well known to those of skill in the art. These detection schemes are especially useful for the detection of nucleic acid molecules if such molecules are present in very low numbers.

 In an alternative embodiment, mutations in a selected gene from a sample cell can be identified by alterations in restriction enzyme cleavage patterns. For example, sample
15 and control DNA is isolated, amplified (optionally), digested with one or more restriction endonucleases, and fragment length sizes are determined by gel electrophoresis and compared. Differences in fragment length sizes between sample and control DNA indicates mutations in the sample DNA. Moreover, the use of sequence specific
20 ribozymes (*see, e.g.*, U.S. Patent No. 5,498,531) can be used to score for the presence of specific mutations by development or loss of a ribozyme cleavage site.

 In other embodiments, genetic mutations can be identified by hybridizing a sample and control nucleic acids, *e.g.*, DNA or RNA, to high density arrays containing hundreds or thousands of oligonucleotides probes (Cronin et al. (1996) *Human Mutation* 7:244-255; Kozal et al. (1996) *Nature Medicine* 2:753-759). For example, genetic mutations can be
25 identified in two-dimensional arrays containing light-generated DNA probes as described in Cronin et al., *supra*. Briefly, a first hybridization array of probes can be used to scan through long stretches of DNA in a sample and control to identify base changes between the sequences by making linear arrays of sequential overlapping probes. This step allows
30 the identification of point mutations. This step is followed by a second hybridization array that allows the characterization of specific mutations by using smaller, specialized probe arrays complementary to all variants or mutations detected. Each mutation array is composed of parallel probe sets, one complementary to the wild-type gene and the other complementary to the mutant gene.

35 In yet another embodiment, any of a variety of sequencing reactions known in the art can be used to directly sequence the selected gene and detect mutations by comparing

the sequence of the sample nucleic acids with the corresponding wild-type (control) sequence. Examples of sequencing reactions include those based on techniques developed by Maxim and Gilbert ((1977) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 74:560) or Sanger ((1977) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 74:5463). It is also contemplated that any of a variety of
5 automated sequencing procedures can be utilized when performing the diagnostic assays ((1995) *Bio/Techniques* 19:448), including sequencing by mass spectrometry (*see, e.g.*, PCT Publication No. WO 94/16101; Cohen et al. (1996) *Adv. Chromatogr.* 36:127-162; and Griffin et al. (1993) *Appl. Biochem. Biotechnol.* 38:147-159).

Other methods for detecting mutations in a selected gene include methods in which
10 protection from cleavage agents is used to detect mismatched bases in RNA/RNA or RNA/DNA heteroduplexes (Myers et al. (1985) *Science* 230:1242). In general, the technique of mismatch cleavage entails providing heteroduplexes formed by hybridizing (labeled) RNA or DNA containing the wild-type sequence with potentially mutant RNA or DNA obtained from a tissue sample. The double-stranded duplexes are treated with an
15 agent which cleaves single-stranded regions of the duplex such as which will exist due to basepair mismatches between the control and sample strands. RNA/DNA duplexes can be treated with RNase to digest mismatched regions, and DNA/DNA hybrids can be treated with S1 nuclease to digest mismatched regions.

In other embodiments, either DNA/DNA or RNA/DNA duplexes can be treated
20 with hydroxylamine or osmium tetroxide and with piperidine in order to digest mismatched regions. After digestion of the mismatched regions, the resulting material is then separated by size on denaturing polyacrylamide gels to determine the site of mutation. *See, e.g.*, Cotton et al. (1988) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 85:4397; Saleeba et al. (1992) *Methods Enzymol.* 217:286-295. In a preferred embodiment, the control DNA or
25 RNA can be labeled for detection.

In still another embodiment, the mismatch cleavage reaction employs one or more proteins that recognize mismatched base pairs in double-stranded DNA (so called "DNA mismatch repair" enzymes) in defined systems for detecting and mapping point mutations
30 in cDNAs obtained from samples of cells. For example, the mutY enzyme of *E. coli* cleaves A at G/A mismatches and the thymidine DNA glycosylase from HeLa cells cleaves T at G/T mismatches (Hsu et al. (1994) *Carcinogenesis* 15:1657-1662). According to an exemplary embodiment, a probe based on a selected sequence, *e.g.*, a wild-type sequence, is hybridized to a cDNA or other DNA product from a test cell(s).
35 The duplex is treated with a DNA mismatch repair enzyme, and the cleavage products, if any, can be detected from electrophoresis protocols or the like. *See, e.g.*, U.S. Patent No. 5,459,039.

In other embodiments, alterations in electrophoretic mobility will be used to identify mutations in genes. For example, single strand conformation polymorphism (SSCP) may be used to detect differences in electrophoretic mobility between mutant and wild type nucleic acids (Orita et al. (1989) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 86:2766; see also
5 Cotton (1993) *Mutat. Res.* 285:125-144; Hayashi (1992) *Genet. Anal. Tech. Appl.* 9:73-79). Single-stranded DNA fragments of sample and control nucleic acids will be denatured and allowed to renature. The secondary structure of single-stranded nucleic acids varies according to sequence, and the resulting alteration in electrophoretic mobility enables the detection of even a single base change. The DNA fragments may be labeled or
10 detected with labeled probes. The sensitivity of the assay may be enhanced by using RNA (rather than DNA), in which the secondary structure is more sensitive to a change in sequence. In a preferred embodiment, the subject method utilizes heteroduplex analysis to separate double stranded heteroduplex molecules on the basis of changes in electrophoretic mobility (Keen et al. (1991) *Trends Genet.* 7:5).

15 In yet another embodiment, the movement of mutant or wild-type fragments in polyacrylamide gels containing a gradient of denaturant is assayed using denaturing gradient gel electrophoresis (DGGE) (Myers et al. (1985) *Nature* 313:495). When DGGE is used as the method of analysis, DNA will be modified to insure that it does not completely denature, for example by adding a 'GC clamp of approximately 40 bp of
20 high-melting GC-rich DNA by PCR. In a further embodiment, a temperature gradient is used in place of a denaturing gradient to identify differences in the mobility of control and sample DNA (Rosenbaum and Reissner (1987) *Biophys. Chem.* 265:12753).

Examples of other techniques for detecting point mutations include, but are not limited to, selective oligonucleotide hybridization, selective amplification, or selective
25 primer extension. For example, oligonucleotide primers may be prepared in which the known mutation is placed centrally and then hybridized to target DNA under conditions which permit hybridization only if a perfect match is found (Saiki et al. (1986) *Nature* 324:163); Saiki et al. (1989) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 86:6230). Such allele specific oligonucleotides are hybridized to PCR amplified target DNA or a number of different
30 mutations when the oligonucleotides are attached to the hybridizing membrane and hybridized with labeled target DNA.

Alternatively, allele specific amplification technology which depends on selective PCR amplification may be used in conjunction with the instant invention.
35 Oligonucleotides used as primers for specific amplification may carry the mutation of interest in the center of the molecule (so that amplification depends on differential hybridization) (Gibbs et al. (1989) *Nucleic Acids Res.* 17:2437-2448) or at the extreme 3'

end of one primer where, under appropriate conditions, mismatch can prevent or reduce polymerase extension (Prossner (1993) *Tibtech* 11:238). In addition, it may be desirable to introduce a novel restriction site in the region of the mutation to create cleavage-based detection (Gasparini et al. (1992) *Mol. Cell Probes* 6:1). It is anticipated that in certain
5 embodiments amplification may also be performed using Taq ligase for amplification (Barany (1991) *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 88:189). In such cases, ligation will occur only if there is a perfect match at the 3' end of the 5' sequence making it possible to detect the presence of a known mutation at a specific site by looking for the presence or absence of amplification.

10 The methods described herein may be performed, for example, by utilizing pre-packaged diagnostic kits comprising at least one probe nucleic acid or antibody reagent described herein, which may be conveniently used, *e.g.*, in clinical settings to diagnose patients exhibiting symptoms or family history of a disease or illness involving a gene encoding a polypeptide of the invention. Furthermore, any cell type or tissue, *e.g.*,
15 chondrocytes, in which the polypeptide of the invention is expressed may be utilized in the prognostic assays described herein.

3. Pharmacogenomics

20 Agents, or modulators which have a stimulatory or inhibitory effect on activity or expression of a polypeptide of the invention as identified by a screening assay described herein can be administered to individuals to treat (prophylactically or therapeutically) disorders associated with aberrant activity of the polypeptide. In conjunction with such treatment, the pharmacogenomics (*i.e.*, the study of the relationship between an
25 individual's genotype and that individual's response to a foreign compound or drug) of the individual may be considered. Differences in metabolism of therapeutics can lead to severe toxicity or therapeutic failure by altering the relation between dose and blood concentration of the pharmacologically active drug. Thus, the pharmacogenomics of the individual permits the selection of effective agents (*e.g.*, drugs) for prophylactic or
30 therapeutic treatments based on a consideration of the individual's genotype. Such pharmacogenomics can further be used to determine appropriate dosages and therapeutic regimens. Accordingly, the activity of a polypeptide of the invention, expression of a nucleic acid of the invention, or mutation content of a gene of the invention in an individual can be determined to thereby select appropriate agent(s) for therapeutic or
35 prophylactic treatment of the individual.

Pharmacogenomics deals with clinically significant hereditary variations in the response to drugs due to altered drug disposition and abnormal action in affected persons. See, e.g., Linder (1997) *Clin. Chem.* 43(2):254-266. In general, two types of pharmacogenetic conditions can be differentiated. Genetic conditions transmitted as a single factor altering the way drugs act on the body are referred to as "altered drug action." Genetic conditions transmitted as single factors altering the way the body acts on drugs are referred to as "altered drug metabolism". These pharmacogenetic conditions can occur either as rare defects or as polymorphisms. For example, glucose-6-phosphate dehydrogenase deficiency (G6PD) is a common inherited enzymopathy in which the main clinical complication is haemolysis after ingestion of oxidant drugs (anti-malarials, sulfonamides, analgesics, nitrofurans) and consumption of fava beans.

As an illustrative embodiment, the activity of drug metabolizing enzymes is a major determinant of both the intensity and duration of drug action. The discovery of genetic polymorphisms of drug metabolizing enzymes (e.g., N-acetyltransferase 2 (NAT 2) and cytochrome P450 enzymes CYP2D6 and CYP2C19) has provided an explanation as to why some patients do not obtain the expected drug effects or show exaggerated drug response and serious toxicity after taking the standard and safe dose of a drug. These polymorphisms are expressed in two phenotypes in the population, the extensive metabolizer (EM) and poor metabolizer (PM). The prevalence of PM is different among different populations. For example, the gene coding for CYP2D6 is highly polymorphic and several mutations have been identified in PM, which all lead to the absence of functional CYP2D6. Poor metabolizers of CYP2D6 and CYP2C19 quite frequently experience exaggerated drug response and side effects when they receive standard doses. If a metabolite is the active therapeutic moiety, a PM will show no therapeutic response, as demonstrated for the analgesic effect of codeine mediated by its CYP2D6-formed metabolite morphine. The other extreme are the so called ultra-rapid metabolizers who do not respond to standard doses. Recently, the molecular basis of ultra-rapid metabolism has been identified to be due to CYP2D6 gene amplification.

Thus, the activity of a polypeptide of the invention, expression of a nucleic acid encoding the polypeptide, or mutation content of a gene encoding the polypeptide in an individual can be determined to thereby select appropriate agent(s) for therapeutic or prophylactic treatment of the individual. In addition, pharmacogenetic studies can be used to apply genotyping of polymorphic alleles encoding drug-metabolizing enzymes to the identification of an individual's drug responsiveness phenotype. This knowledge, when applied to dosing or drug selection, can avoid adverse reactions or therapeutic failure and thus enhance therapeutic or prophylactic efficiency when treating a subject with a

modulator of activity or expression of the polypeptide, such as a modulator identified by one of the exemplary screening assays described herein.

5 4. Monitoring of Effects During Clinical Trials

Monitoring the influence of agents (*e.g.*, drugs, compounds) on the expression or activity of a polypeptide of the invention (*e.g.*, the ability to modulate aberrant cell proliferation chemotaxis, and/or differentiation) can be applied not only in basic drug screening, but also in clinical trials. For example, the effectiveness of an agent, as
10 determined by a screening assay as described herein, to increase gene expression, protein levels or protein activity, can be monitored in clinical trials of subjects exhibiting decreased gene expression, protein levels, or protein activity. Alternatively, the effectiveness of an agent, as determined by a screening assay, to decrease gene expression, protein levels or protein activity, can be monitored in clinical trials of subjects exhibiting
15 increased gene expression, protein levels, or protein activity. In such clinical trials, expression or activity of a polypeptide of the invention and preferably, that of other polypeptide that have been implicated in for example, a cellular proliferation disorder, can be used as a marker of the immune responsiveness of a particular cell.

For example, and not by way of limitation, genes, including those of the invention,
20 that are modulated in cells by treatment with an agent (*e.g.*, compound, drug or small molecule) which modulates activity or expression of a polypeptide of the invention (*e.g.*, as identified in a screening assay described herein) can be identified. Thus, to study the effect of agents on cellular proliferation disorders, for example, in a clinical trial, cells can be isolated and RNA prepared and analyzed for the levels of expression of a gene of the
25 invention and other genes implicated in the disorder. The levels of gene expression (*i.e.*, a gene expression pattern) can be quantified by Northern blot analysis or RT-PCR, as described herein, or alternatively by measuring the amount of protein produced, by one of the methods as described herein, or by measuring the levels of activity of a gene of the invention or other genes. In this way, the gene expression pattern can serve as a marker,
30 indicative of the physiological response of the cells to the agent. Accordingly, this response state may be determined before, and at various points during, treatment of the individual with the agent.

In a preferred embodiment, the present invention provides a method for monitoring
35 the effectiveness of treatment of a subject with an agent (*e.g.*, an agonist, antagonist, peptidomimetic, protein, peptide, nucleic acid, small molecule, or other drug candidate identified by the screening assays described herein) comprising the steps of (i) obtaining a

pre-administration sample from a subject prior to administration of the agent; (ii) detecting the level of the polypeptide or nucleic acid of the invention in the preadministration sample; (iii) obtaining one or more post-administration samples from the subject; (iv) detecting the level the of the polypeptide or nucleic acid of the invention in the post-administration samples; (v) comparing the level of the polypeptide or nucleic acid of the invention in the pre-administration sample with the level of the polypeptide or nucleic acid of the invention in the post-administration sample or samples; and (vi) altering the administration of the agent to the subject accordingly. For example, increased administration of the agent may be desirable to increase the expression or activity of the polypeptide to higher levels than detected, i.e., to increase the effectiveness of the agent. Alternatively, decreased administration of the agent may be desirable to decrease expression or activity of the polypeptide to lower levels than detected, i.e., to decrease the effectiveness of the agent.

15 C. Methods of Treatment

The present invention provides for both prophylactic and therapeutic methods of treating a subject at risk of (or susceptible to) a disorder or having a disorder associated with aberrant expression or activity of a polypeptide of the invention, as discussed, for example, in sections above relating to uses of the sequences of the invention.

For example, disorders characterized by aberrant expression or activity of the polypeptides of the invention include immunologic disorders, coronary disorders, pulmonary disorders, neurological disorders, kidney disorders, and autoimmune disorders. The nucleic acids, polypeptides, and modulators thereof of the invention can be used to treat immunologic diseases and disorders, including but not limited to, allergic disorders (e.g., anaphylaxis and allergic asthma) autoimmune and inflammatory disorders (e.g., atopic dermatitis). Polypeptides of the invention can be used to treat diseases associated with bacterial infection (e.g., tuberculosis, e.g., pulmonary tuberculosis), inflammatory arthropathy, and bone and cartilage degenerative diseases and disorders (e.g., arthritis, e.g., rheumatoid arthritis). Polypeptides of the invention can be used to treat pulmonary disorders such as lung cancer, cystic fibrosis and rheumatoid lung diseases. Polypeptides of the invention can be used to treat coronary disorders, such as ischemic heart disease, atherosclerosis and plaque formation. Polypeptides of the invention can also be used to treat neurological disorders such as neurodegenerate disorders, neuromuscular disorders and cognitive disorders. Polypeptides of the invention can also be used to treat kidney disorders such as glomerulonephritis and end stage renal disease. Further, polypeptides of

the invention can be used to treat autoimmune disorders such as Crohns disease, and other disorders described herein.

5 1. Prophylactic Methods

 In one aspect, the invention provides a method for preventing in a subject, a disease or condition associated with an aberrant expression or activity of a polypeptide of the invention, by administering to the subject an agent which modulates expression or at least one activity of the polypeptide. Subjects at risk for a disease which is caused or
10 contributed to by aberrant expression or activity of a polypeptide of the invention can be identified by, for example, any or a combination of diagnostic or prognostic assays as described herein. Administration of a prophylactic agent can occur prior to the manifestation of symptoms characteristic of the aberrancy, such that a disease or disorder is prevented or, alternatively, delayed in its progression. Depending on the type of
15 aberrancy, for example, an agonist or antagonist agent can be used for treating the subject. For example, an antagonist of a TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258 or TANGO 281 proteins may be used to treat an immunologic disorder, e.g., rheumatoid arthritis. The appropriate agent can be determined based on screening assays described herein.

20 2. Therapeutic Methods

 Another aspect of the invention pertains to methods of modulating expression or activity of a polypeptide of the invention for therapeutic purposes. The modulatory method of the invention involves contacting a cell with an agent that modulates one or
25 more of the activities of the polypeptide. An agent that modulates activity can be an agent as described herein, such as a nucleic acid or a protein, a naturally-occurring cognate ligand of the polypeptide, a peptide, a peptidomimetic, or other small molecule. In one embodiment, the agent stimulates one or more of the biological activities of the polypeptide. Examples of such stimulatory agents include the active polypeptide of the invention and a nucleic acid molecule encoding the polypeptide of the invention that has
30 been introduced into the cell. In another embodiment, the agent inhibits one or more of the biological activities of the polypeptide of the invention. Examples of such inhibitory agents include antisense nucleic acid molecules and antibodies. These modulatory methods can be performed *in vitro* (e.g., by culturing the cell with the agent) or,
35 alternatively, *in vivo* (e.g., by administering the agent to a subject). As such, the present invention provides methods of treating an individual afflicted with a disease or disorder characterized by aberrant expression or activity of a polypeptide of the invention. In one

embodiment, the method involves administering an agent (*e.g.*, an agent identified by a screening assay described herein), or combination of agents that modulates (*e.g.*, upregulates or downregulates) expression or activity. In another embodiment, the method involves administering a polypeptide of the invention or a nucleic acid molecule of the invention as therapy to compensate for reduced or aberrant expression or activity of the polypeptide.

Stimulation of activity is desirable in situations in which activity or expression is abnormally low or downregulated and/or in which increased activity is likely to have a beneficial effect. Conversely, inhibition of activity is desirable in situations in which activity or expression is abnormally high or upregulated and/or in which decreased activity is likely to have a beneficial effect.

This invention is further illustrated by the following examples which should not be construed as limiting. The contents of all references, patents and published patent applications cited throughout this application are hereby incorporated by reference.

Deposit of Clones

Clones containing cDNA molecules encoding human TANGO 253, (clone EpT253) human TANGO 257 (EpT257), human INTERCEPT 258 (clone EpT258) and human TANGO 281 (clone EpT 281) were deposited with the American Type Culture Collection, 10801 University Boulevard, Manassas, VA, 20110-2209, on April 21, 1999 as Accession Number 207222, as part of a composite deposit representing a mixture of strains, each carrying one recombinant plasmid harboring a particular cDNA clone.

For this composite deposit, to distinguish the strains and isolate a strain harboring a particular cDNA clone, an aliquot of the mixture can be streaked out to single colonies on nutrient medium (*e.g.*, LB plates) supplemented with 100g/ml ampicillin, single colonies grown, and then plasmid DNA extracted using a standard miniprep procedure. Next, a sample of the DNA miniprep can be digested with a combination of the restriction enzymes *Sall*, *NotI*, *XbaI* and *EcorV* and the resultant products resolved on a 0.8% agarose gel using standard DNA electrophoresis conditions. The digest liberates fragments as follows:

Human TANGO 253 (clone EpT253): 1.3 kb

Human TANGO 257 (clone EpT257): 1.8 kb

Human INTERCEPT 258 (clone EpT258): 1.0 kb and 0.85 kb (human INTERCEPT 258 has a *EcoRV* cut site at about bp 1004).

Human TANGO 281 (clone EpT281): 0.9 kb and 0.9kb (human TANGO 281 Has an *XbaI* cut site at about bp 900).

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The identity of the strains can be inferred from the fragments liberated.

Clones containing cDNA molecules encoding mouse INTERCEPT 258 were deposited with the American Type Culture Collection (Manassas, VA) on April 21, 1999 as Accession Number 207221, as part of a composite deposit representing a mixture of
10 five strains, each carrying one recombinant plasmid harboring a particular cDNA clone.

To distinguish the strains and isolate a strain harboring a particular cDNA clone, an aliquot of the mixture can be streaked out to single colonies on nutrient medium (e.g., LB plates) supplemented with 100µg/ml ampicillin, single colonies grown, and then
15 plasmid DNA extracted using a standard miniprep procedure. Next, a sample of the DNA miniprep can be digested with a combination of the restriction enzymes *Sall*, and *NotI*, and the resultant products resolved on a 0.8% agarose gel using standard DNA electrophoresis conditions. The digest liberates fragments as follows:

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Mouse INTERCEPT 258 (clone EpT258): 1.8 kb

The identity of the strains can be inferred from the fragments liberated.

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A clone containing a cDNA molecule encoding mouse TANGO 253 (Clone EpTm 253) was deposited with American Type Culture Collection, 10801 University Boulevard, Manassas, VA 20110-2209, on April 21, 1999 as Accession Number 207215.

A clone containing a cDNA molecule encoding mouse TANGO 257 (Clone EpTm 257) was deposited with American Type Culture Collection, 10801 University Boulevard, Manassas, VA 20110-2209, on April 21, 1999 as Accession Number 207217.
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A clone containing a cDNA molecule encoding mouse TANGO 281 (Clone EpTm 281) was deposited with American Type Culture Collection, 10801 University Boulevard, Manassas, VA 20110-2209, on June 15, 1999 as patent deposit Number PTA-224.
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All publications, patents and patent applications mentioned in this specification are herein incorporated by reference into the specification to the same extent as if each individual publication, patent or patent application was specifically and individually indicated to be incorporated herein by reference.

Equivalents

Those skilled in the art will recognize, or be able to ascertain using no more than routine experimentation, many equivalents to the specific embodiments of the invention described herein. Such equivalents are intended to be encompassed by the following claims.

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Date of deposit * <u>April 21, 1999</u> Accession Number * <u>207215</u>	
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What is claimed is:

1. An isolated nucleic acid molecule selected from the group consisting of:
 - a) a nucleic acid molecule comprising a nucleotide sequence which is at least 45% identical to the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:1, 2, 26, 27, 46, 47, the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof;
 - b) a nucleic acid molecule comprising a fragment of at least 300 nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:1, 2, 15, 16, 26, 27, 46, 47, the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof;
 - c) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, 17, 28, 48, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222;
 - d) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a fragment of a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, 28, 48, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, wherein the fragment comprises at least 15 contiguous amino acids of SEQ ID NO:3, 28, 48, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222;
 - e) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a naturally occurring allelic variant of a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, 17, 28, 48, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, wherein the nucleic acid molecule hybridizes to a nucleic acid molecule comprising SEQ ID NO:2, 16, 27, 47, or a complement thereof under stringent conditions;
 - f) a nucleic acid molecule comprising a nucleotide sequence which is at least 95% identical to the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:21, 22, the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207217, or a complement thereof;
 - g) a nucleic acid molecule comprising a fragment of at least 300 nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:21, 22, the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207217, or a complement thereof;

h) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:23, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207217;

i) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a fragment of a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:23, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207217, wherein the fragment comprises at least 360 contiguous amino acids of SEQ ID NO:23, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207217;

j) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a naturally occurring allelic variant of a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:23, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207217, wherein the nucleic acid molecule hybridizes to a nucleic acid molecule comprising SEQ ID NO:22, or a complement thereof under stringent conditions;

k) a nucleic acid molecule comprising a nucleotide sequence which is at least 45% identical to the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:37, 38, the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207221, or a complement thereof;

l) a nucleic acid molecule comprising a fragment of at least 300 nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:37, 38, the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207221, or a complement thereof;

m) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:39, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207221;

n) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a fragment of a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:39, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207221, wherein the fragment comprises at least 160 contiguous amino acids of SEQ ID NO:39, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207221;

o) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a naturally occurring allelic variant of a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:39, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as

Accession Number 207217, wherein the nucleic acid molecule hybridizes to a nucleic acid molecule comprising SEQ ID NO:38, or a complement thereof under stringent conditions;

p) a nucleic acid molecule comprising a nucleotide sequence which is at least 45% identical to the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:8, 9, the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207215, or a complement thereof;

q) a nucleic acid molecule comprising a fragment of at least 300 nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:8, 9, the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207215, or a complement thereof;

r) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:10, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207215;

s) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a fragment of a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:10, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207215, wherein the fragment comprises at least 15 contiguous amino acids of SEQ ID NO:10, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207215;

t) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a naturally occurring allelic variant of a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:10, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207215, wherein the nucleic acid molecule hybridizes to a nucleic acid molecule comprising SEQ ID NO:9, or a complement thereof under stringent conditions;

u) a nucleic acid molecule comprising a nucleotide sequence which is at least 95% identical to the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:15, 16, the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof;

v) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a fragment of a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:17, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, wherein the fragment comprises at least 360 contiguous amino acids of SEQ ID NO:17, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222.

w) a nucleic acid molecule comprising a nucleotide sequence which is at least 45% identical to the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:56, 57, the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as patent deposit Number PTA-224, or a complement thereof;

x) a nucleic acid molecule comprising a fragment of at least 300 nucleotides of the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:56, 57, the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as patent deposit Number PTA-224, or a complement thereof;

y) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:58, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as patent deposit Number PTA-224;

z) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a fragment of a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:58, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as patent deposit Number PTA-224, wherein the fragment comprises at least 15 contiguous amino acids of SEQ ID NO:58, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as patent deposit Number PTA-224;

aa) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a naturally occurring allelic variant of a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:58, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as patent deposit Number PTA-224, wherein the nucleic acid molecule hybridizes to a nucleic acid molecule comprising SEQ ID NO:57, or a complement thereof under stringent conditions.

2. The isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 1, which is selected from the group consisting of:

a) a nucleic acid comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:1, 2, 15, 16, 26, 27, 46, 47, the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, or a complement thereof;

b) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, 17, 28, 48, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222;

c) a nucleic acid comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:21, 22, the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207217, or a complement thereof;

d) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:23, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207217;

e) a nucleic acid comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:37, 38, the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207221, or a complement thereof;

f) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:39, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207221;

g) a nucleic acid comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:8, 9, the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207215, or a complement thereof;

h) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:10, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222.

i) a nucleic acid comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:56, 57, the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as patent deposit Number PTA-224, or a complement thereof;

j) a nucleic acid molecule which encodes a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:58, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as patent deposit Number PTA-224.

3. The nucleic acid molecule of claim 1 further comprising vector nucleic acid sequences.

4. The nucleic acid molecule of claim 1 further comprising nucleic acid sequences encoding a heterologous polypeptide.

5. A host cell which contains the nucleic acid molecule of claim 1.

6. The host cell of claim 5 which is a mammalian host cell.

7. A non-human mammalian host cell containing the nucleic acid molecule of claim 1.
8. An isolated polypeptide selected from the group consisting of:
 - a) a fragment of a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, wherein the fragment comprises at least 15 contiguous amino acids of SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58;
 - b) a naturally occurring allelic variant of a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of plasmids deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221, patent deposit Number PTA-224 wherein the polypeptide is encoded by a nucleic acid molecule which hybridizes to a nucleic acid molecule comprising SEQ ID NO:2, 9, 16, 22, 27, 38, 47, 57, or a complement thereof under stringent conditions; and
 - c) a polypeptide which is encoded by a nucleic acid molecule comprising a nucleotide sequence which is at least 45% identical to a nucleic acid comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:2, 9, 27, 38, 47, 57, or at least 98% to a nucleic acid comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:2, 9, 27, 38, 47, 57, or a complement thereof.
9. The isolated polypeptide of claim 8 comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58.
10. The polypeptide of claim 8 further comprising heterologous amino acid sequences.
11. An antibody which selectively binds to a polypeptide of claim 8.
12. A method for producing a polypeptide selected from the group consisting of:
 - a) a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, Accession Number

207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221, or patent deposit Number PTA-224;

b) a polypeptide comprising a fragment of the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221, or patent deposit Number PTA-224, wherein the fragment comprises at least 15 contiguous amino acids of SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221 or patent deposit Number PTA-224; and

c) a naturally occurring allelic variant of a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3, 10, 17, 23, 28, 39, 48, 58, or the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA insert of the plasmid deposited with the ATCC® as Accession Number 207222, Accession Number 207215, Accession Number 207217, Accession Number 207221, or patent deposit Number PTA-224, wherein the polypeptide is encoded by a nucleic acid molecule which hybridizes to a nucleic acid molecule comprising SEQ ID NO:1, 8, 15, 21, 26, 37, 46, 56, or a complement thereof under stringent conditions;

comprising culturing the host cell of claim 5 under conditions in which the nucleic acid molecule is expressed.

13. A method for detecting the presence of a polypeptide of claim 8 in a sample, comprising:

- a) contacting the sample with a compound which selectively binds to a polypeptide of claim 8; and
- b) determining whether the compound binds to the polypeptide in the sample.

14. The method of claim 13, wherein the compound which binds to the polypeptide is an antibody.

15. A kit comprising a compound which selectively binds to a polypeptide of claim 8 and instructions for use.

16. A method for detecting the presence of a nucleic acid molecule of claim 1 in a sample, comprising the steps of:
- a) contacting the sample with a nucleic acid probe or primer which selectively hybridizes to the nucleic acid molecule; and
 - b) determining whether the nucleic acid probe or primer binds to a nucleic acid molecule in the sample.
17. The method of claim 16, wherein the sample comprises mRNA molecules and is contacted with a nucleic acid probe.
18. A kit comprising a compound which selectively hybridizes to a nucleic acid molecule of claim 1 and instructions for use.
19. A method for identifying a compound which binds to a polypeptide of claim 8 comprising the steps of:
- a) contacting a polypeptide, or a cell expressing a polypeptide of claim 8 with a test compound; and
 - b) determining whether the polypeptide binds to the test compound.
20. The method of claim 19, wherein the binding of the test compound to the polypeptide is detected by a method selected from the group consisting of:
- a) detection of binding by direct detecting of test compound/polypeptide binding;
 - b) detection of binding using a competition binding assay;
 - c) detection of binding using an assay for TANGO 253, TANGO 257, INTERCEPT 258, TANGO 281-mediated signal transduction.
21. A method for modulating the activity of a polypeptide of claim 8 comprising contacting a polypeptide or a cell expressing a polypeptide of claim 8 with a compound which binds to the polypeptide in a sufficient concentration to modulate the activity of the polypeptide.

22. A method for identifying a compound which modulates the activity of a polypeptide of claim 8, comprising:

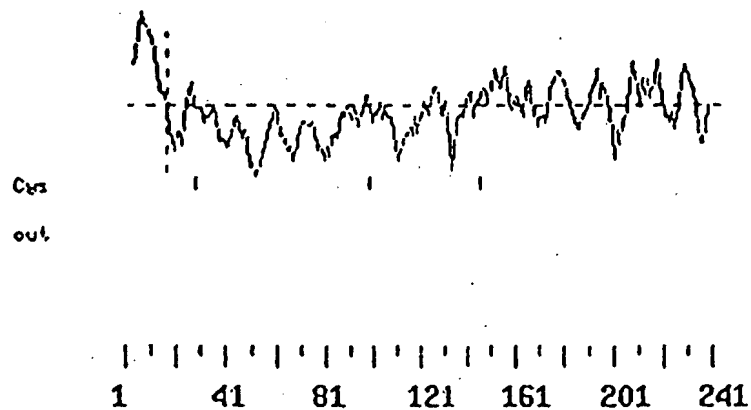
- a) contacting a polypeptide of claim 8 with a test compound; and
- b) determining the effect of the test compound on the activity of the polypeptide to thereby identify a compound which modulates the activity of the polypeptide.

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FIG. 1A

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FIG. 1B



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FIG. 2

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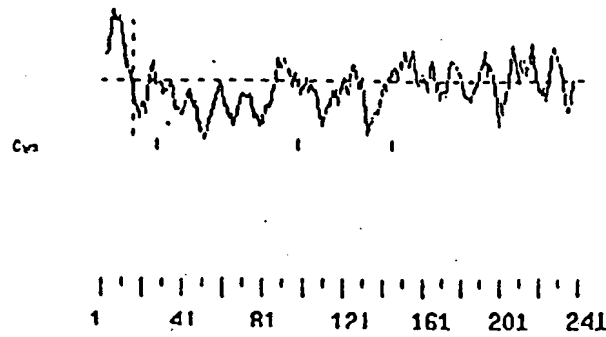
FIG. 3A

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FIG. 3B



>mT253
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VFA

FIG. 4

ALIGN calculates a global alignment of two sequences
 version 2.0uPlease cite: Myers and Miller, CABIOS (1989)
 > ht253 a.a. 243 aa vs.
 > mt253 a.a. 243 aa
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inputs PGLPGPRGDPGPRGEAGPAGPTGPAGECSVPPRSAFSAKRSESRVPPPSDAPLPFDRVLVNEQGHYDAVT
      .....
      PGLPGPRGEPGPRGEAGPMGAIGPAGECSVPPRSAFSAKRSESRVPPPADTLPFDRVLLNEQGHYDPTT
      80      90     100     110     120     130     140

      150     160     170     180     190     200     210
inputs GKFTCQVPGVYFAVHATVYRASLQFDLVKNGESIASFFQFFGGWPKPASLSGGAMVRLEPEDQVWVQVG
      .....
      GKFTCQVPGVYFAVHATVYRASLQFDLVKNGQSISASFFQYFGGWPKPASLSGGAMVRLEPEDQVWVQVG
      150     160     170     180     190     200     210

      220     230     240
inputs VGDYIGIYASIKTDSTFSGFLVYSDWHSSPVFA
      .....
      VGDYIGIYASIKTDSTFSGFLVYSDWHSSPVFA
      220     230     240

```

FIG. 5

ALIGN calculates a global alignment of two sequences

version 2.0u Please cite: Myers and Miller, CABIOS (1989)

> hT253 a.a. 243 aa vs.

> SwissProt Q15848 - (untitled) 244 aa

scoring matrix: pam120.mat, gap penalties: -12/-4

38.7% identity; Global alignment score: 262

```

      10      20      30      40      50      60
inputs MRPL-LVLLLLGLAA---GSPPLDDNKIPSL----CPG-HPGLPGTPGHHGSQGLPGRDGRDGRDGAPGA
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      MLLLGAVLLLLLALPGHDQETTTQGPVLLPLPKGACTGWMAGIPGHPGHNGAPGRDGRDGTPEKEKEKGD
      10      20      30      40      50      60      70

      70      80      90      100     110     120     130
inputs PGEKGEGRPGLPGRGDPGPRGEAGPAGPTGPAGECSVPPRSAFSAKRSESRVPPPSDAPLPFDRVLVN
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      PGLIGPKGDIGETGVPGAEGPRGFPGIQGRKGEPGEGAYVYRSAFSVGL-ETVVTIP-NMPIRFTKIFYN
      80      90      100     110     120     130

      140     150     160     170     180     190     200
inputs EQGHYDAVTGKFTCQVPGVYFAVHATVYRASLQFDLVKNGESIASFFQFFGGWPKPASLSGGAMVRLEP
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      QQNHYGSTGKFHCNIPGLYYFAYHITVYMKDVKVSLFKKDKAMLFTYDQYQE-NNVDQASGSVLLHLEV
      140     150     160     170     180     190     200

      210     220     230     240
inputs EDQVWVQV-GVGDIYIGIYASIKTDSTFSGFLVYSDWHSSPVFA
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      GDQVWLQVYGEGERNGLYADNDNDSTFTGFLLY---HDT---N
      210     220     230     240

```

FIG. 6A

ALIGN calculates a global alignment of two sequences
 version 2.0u Please cite: Myers and Miller, CABIOS (1989)
 > mt253 a.a. 243 aa vs.
 > SwissProt Q15848 - (untitled) 244 aa
 scoring matrix: pam120.mat, gap penalties: -12/-4
 38.3% identity; Global alignment score: 264

```

      10      20      30      40      50      60
inputs MRLLALLLLGLVSGSPPLDDNKIPSL-----CPG-QPGLPGTPGHHSQGLPGRDGRDGRDGAPGA
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      MLLLGAVLLLLLALPGHDQETTTQGGVLLPLPKGACTGWMAGIPGHPGHNGAPGRDGRDGTPEKGEKGD
      10      20      30      40      50      60      70

      70      80      90     100     110     120     130
inputs PGEKGEGRPGLPGPRGEPGPRGEAGPMGAIGPAGECSVPPRSAFSAKRSESRVPPPADTLPFPDRVLLN
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      PGLIGPKGDIGETGVPGAEGPRGFPGIQGRKGEPGEGAYVYRSAFSVGL-ETYVTIP-NMPIRFTKIFYN
      80      90     100     110     120     130

      140     150     160     170     180     190     200
inputs EQGHYDPTTGKFTCQVPGVYFAVHATVYRASLQFDLVKNGQSIASFFQYFGGWPKPASLSGGAMVRLEP
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      QQNHYGSTGKFHCNIPGLYYFAYHITVYMKDVKVSFLFKDKAMLFTYDQYQE-NNVDQASGSVLLHLEV
      140     150     160     170     180     190     200

      210     220     230     240
inputs EDQVWVQV-GVGDIYIGIYASIKTDSTFSGFLVYSDWHSSPVFA
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      GDQVWLQVYGEGERNGLYADNDNDSTFTGFLLY---HDT---N
      210     220     230     240

```

FIG. 6B

ALIGN calculates a global alignment of two sequences

version 2.0. Please cite: Myers and Miller, CABIOS (1989)

> ht253 n.a. 1339 aa vs.

> adipocyte n.a. (AI417523) 653 aa

scoring matrix: pam120.mat, gap penalties: -12/-4

29.1% identity; Global alignment score: -1168

```

      10      20      30      40      50      60      70
inputs  GTCGACCCACGCGTCCGGGACTGGGGTGACGGCAGGGCAGGGGGCGCCTGGCCGGGGAGAAGCGCGGGGG
      : .      :: : :: :      . . . : : :      : . : : : :      : : : : :      : : : : :
      TTTTTT---GCAT---GTAACTTTTTTATTGA---GGCA-----CAACAAGGCATTGTAAC TTGCCTGGA
      10      20      30      40      50

      80      90      100      110      120      130      140
inputs  CTGGAGCACCACCAACTGGAGGGTCCGGAGTAGCGAGCGCCCCGAAGGAGGCCATCGGGGAGCCGGGAGG
      : : : :      : : :      : : : : : : : :      : : :      : : : : : : : :
      CTTGAG-----GCACT-----CAGTTTAGTAAGCT---GAA-----CGTTAATACAGTTAA
      60      70      80      90

      150      160      170      180      190      200      210
inputs  GGGGACTGCGAGAGGACCCCGGCGTCCGGGCTCCCGGTGCCAGCGCTATGAGGCCACTCCTCGTCCTGCT
      : : . . : :      : : : : : : : : : :      : : : :      : : : :      : : : :
      GGATTAAG-----TGCAAACAATATA---CATTC-----ACA
      100      110      120

      220      230      240      250      260      270      280
inputs  GCTCCTGGGCCTGGCGGCCGGCTCGCCCCCACTGGACGACAACAAGATCCCCAGCCTCTGCCCGGGGCAC
      : : : : : : : : : :      : : : : : : : : : :      : : : : : : : : : :      : : : : : : : :
      GCT--TGA--CTAGCGA--GGCT-----ACATCA-CAATTTATAAAG---TGCCAGA---
      130      140      150      160      170

      290      300      310      320      330      340      350
inputs  CCCGGCCTTCCAGGCACGCCGGGCCACCATGGCAGCCAGGGCTTGCCGGGCGCGATGGCCGCGACGGCC
      : : : : : : : : : :      : : : : : : : : : :      : : : : : : : : : :      : : : : : : : :
      -----TT--AGT--GCTAA-----TTGTCATTCA--GCTTG-----ATTTTTCAC-----
      180      190      200

      360      370      380      390      400      410      420
inputs  GCGACGGCGCGCCCGGGGCTCCGGGAGAGAAAGGCGAGGGCGGGAGGCCGGGACTGCCGGGACCTCGAGG
      : : : : : : : : : :      : : : : : : : : : :      : : : : : : : : : :      : : : : : : : :
      -----CTCAGGAAGGAAAA--CAAAAAGTAAGG-----ACC---TCCTC-----
      210      220      230

      430      440      450      460      470      480      490
inputs  GGACCCCGGGCGCGAGGAGAGGGGACCGGGGCCACCGGGCCTGCCGGGAGTGCTCGGTGCCT
      : : : : : : : : : :
      -----CCTCTAGGAA-----
      240

      500      510      520      530      540      550      560
inputs  CCGCGATCCGCCTTCAGCGCCAAGCGCTCGAGAGCCGGGTGCCTCCGCGTCTGACGCACCCTTGCCCT
      : : : : : : : : : :

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FIG. 7A

```

-----CAAAAAACATTTTCCT-----AAACCAA
                      250      260                      270

      570      580      590      600      610      620      630
inputs TCGACCGCGTGTGCTGGTGAACGAGCAGGGACATTACGACGCCGTCACCGGCAAGTTACCTGCCAGGTGCC
      :... :      :... : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      TCAGTC-----ATGA--GGGCAAAGAC--TACTTTTCCTTCA-----ATC-CCA--CTAAT---
                      280      290      300      310

      640      650      660      670      680      690      700
inputs TGGGGTCTACTACTTTCGCCGTCCATGCCACCGTCTACCGGGCCAGCCTGCAGTTTGATCTGGTGAAGAAT
      :... :      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      TAGAA-----CACCATCC-----TTTTAT-----T
      320                      330

      710      720      730      740      750      760      770
inputs GGCGAATCCATTGCCTCTTTCTTCCAGTTTTTTCGGGGGTGGCCCAAGCCAGCCTCGCTCTCGGGGGGGG
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      GTCAATACTGT---ACTGACTTTCAAT-----CTTG-----
      340      350      360

      780      790      800      810      820      830      840
inputs CCATGGTGAGGCTGGAGCCTGAGGACCAAGTGTGGGTGCAGGTGGGTGTGGGTGACTACATTGGCATCTA
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      --ATAAAGAAGAT--AGCCTGAAAAC-----GTAGAATAT-----
      370      380      390

      850      860      870      880      890      900      910
inputs TGCCAGCATCAAGACAGACAGCACCTTCTCCGGATTTCTGGTGTACTCCGACTGGCACAGCTCCCCAGTC
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      TTCCAGCTACT-----TCCATAAAT-----TGCTCCCCTGT-
      400      410      420

      920      930      940      950      960      970      980
inputs TTTGCTTAGTGCCCACTGCAAAGTGAGCTCATGCTCTCACTCCTAGAAGGAGGGTGTGAGGCTGACAACC
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      -----GCAGACGT--
      430

      990      1000      1010      1020      1030      1040      1050
inputs TGGTCATCCAGGAGGGCTGGCCCCCTGGAATATTGTGAATGACTAGGGAGGTGGGGTAGAGCACTCTCC
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      -----AACCATAT---CTGGTCTCCCTGGAA-----GAGCTGAAGAATTGCATGAT--
      440      450      460      470

      1060      1070      1080      1090      1100      1110      1120
inputs GTCCTGCTGCTGGCAAGGAATGGGAACAGTGGCTGTCTGCGATCAGGTCTGGCAGCATGGGGCAGTGGCT
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      -----TGCTAGCA-----GTTTCA-TGG---TCTG-GAGCA---C---CATCATTTGG-CATAGGCT
      480      490      500      510      520

      1130      1140      1150      1160      1170      1180      1190

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FIG. 7B

```

inputs GGATTTCTGCCCAAGACCAGAGGAGTGTGCTGTGCTGGCAAGTGTAAAGTCCCCCAGTTGCTCTGGTCCAG
      :...      :.....      ::  ..  ...  .....      :...  ..  ..  :...
      GATA-----CCAAGACCT-----CTT--CATTCTTCANTGAG-----GTTG-AC--ATACAG
                        530                        540      550                        560

            1200      1210      1220      1230      1240      1250      1260
inputs GAGCCCACGGTGGGGTGCTCTCTTCCTGGTCCTCTGCTTCTCTGGATCCTCCCCACCCCCTCCTGCTCCT
      .:.  :.      :...  :...  :  :  :...  :  .....      :  ..  .:  :
      TGGCACAT-----TCACTGCCAG--CTTTTACATGTGAAAAA-----TGAAAAACGT
                570                        580      590                        600

            1270      1280      1290      1300      1310      1320      1330
inputs GGGGCCGCGCCCTTTTCTCAGAGATCACTCAATAAACCTAAGAACCCTCCAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAG
      .:  :...      :...  .:  :.  :...  :...  :...  :...  :...  :...  :...
      AGTGCCA-----TTCACCTGG--CA---ATTAAATCTA-----CCAAAGCTGAGATCAAA-----
      610                        620      630                        640      650

inputs GGCGGCCCGC
      -----

```

FIG. 7C

ALIGN calculates a global alignment of two sequences

version 2.0>Please cite: Myers and Miller, CABIOS (1989)

> mT253 n.a.

1263 aa vs.

> adipocyte n.a. (AI417523)

653 aa

scoring matrix: paml20.mat, gap penalties: -12/-4

30.4% identity; Global alignment score: -840

```

      10      20      30      40      50      60      70
inputs  GTCGACCCACGCGTCCGCGCTGTGAAGCCAGCAAGGAGCAACCAGAAGCTAGGAGTCAGTCAGCAAGGAC
      :
      : :      . : : : : : : :      . .      . : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      TT-----TTT-----TGCATGTAAGT-----TTTTATTGAGGCA--CAACAAGG-C
                        10      20      30

      80      90      100      110      120      130      140
inputs  AGGGGCTGCCTGCCTACAGACTACAAGAGAGGTTCTTGAGTCTGAGCCTCCGGGGTCACCACCATGAGG
      : :      . : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      ATTG-----TAACT-----TGCCTGGA-----CTTGAGG
      40                        50                        60

      150      160      170      180      190      200      210
inputs  CCACTTCTTGCCCTTCTGCTTCTGGGTCTGGTGTGTCAGGCTCTCCTCCTCTGGACGACAACAAGATCCCCA
      : .      : : : : : : : :      . : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      CAG-----TCAGTTT-----AGTAAG-----CTGAACGTTAATA-----
                        70                        80      90

      220      230      240      250      260      270      280
inputs  GCCTGTGTCCCGGGCAGCCCGGCCTTCCAGGCACACCAGGTCACCATGGCAGCCAAGGCCTGCCTGGCCG
      : : : : . : : :      : : . : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      --CAGTTA--AGGA-----TTAAGTGCAAACAATAT-----ACATTACAGCTTGACTAGC-G
                        100      110      120      130      140

      290      300      310      320      330      340      350
inputs  TGACGGCCGTGATGGCCGCGACGGTGCACCCGGAGCTCCGGGAGAGAAAGGCGAGGGCGGGAGACCGGGA
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      AGGCTAC-----ATCACAATTTATAAAGTGC-----CAGATTA---GTG
                        150      160      170

      360      370      380      390      400      410      420
inputs  CTACCTGGCCACGTGGGGAGCCCGGGCGCGTGGAGAGGCAGGGCCCATGGGGGCTATCGGGCCTGCGG
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      CTAATTGTCATTCA-----GCTTGATTTTTC-----CCTCAGGAA-----GGAAACAA
      180      190                        200      210      220

      430      440      450      460      470      480      490
inputs  GGGAGTGCTCGGTACCCCCACGATCAGCCTTCAGTGCCAAGCGATCCGAGAGCCGGGTACCTCCGCCAGC
      . : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      AAAAGTA---AGGACCTCCTC-----CCT-----CTAG-GAACAAAAAAC-ATTTTCCTA-----
                        230      240      250      260

      500      510      520      530      540      550      560
inputs  CGACACACCCCTACCTTTCGACCGTGTGCTGCTAAATGAGCAGGGCCATTACGACCCCACTACTGGCAAG
      . : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :

```

FIG. 8A

```

-----AACCAATCAGTCATGAG-GGCAAAGACTACTTTTCCTT--CAATCCCACATAAT---TAG
          270      280      290      300      310

          570      580      590      600      610      620      630
inputs  TTCACCTGCCAAGTGCCTGGCGTCTACTACTTTGCTGTGCACGCCACTGTCTACCGGGCCAGCTTGCAGT
          ..... :... :. : : ..... :.....
          AACACCATCCTTTTA--TTG-----TCAATACTGT-----ACTGACTT-----
          320      330      340      350

          640      650      660      670      680      690      700
inputs  TTGATCTTGTCAAAAACGGGCAGTCCATCGCCTCTTTCTTCCAGTATTTTGGGGGGTGGCCCAAGCCAGC
          ..... :.....
          -----TCAATCTT-----GATAAAGAAGATAGCC-----
          360      370

          710      720      730      740      750      760      770
inputs  CTCGCTCTCAGGGGGTGCATGGTAAGGCTAGAACCTGAGGACCAGGTGTGGGTGCAGGTGGGCGTGGGT
          ..... : : ..... : : :
          -----TGAAAACGTAGAA-----TATTTCCAG-----C-----TAC-----
          380      390      400

          780      790      800      810      820      830      840
inputs  GATTACATTGGCATCTATGCCAGCATCAAGACAGACAGTACCTTCTCTGGATTTCTCGTCTATTCTGACT
          : : ..... : : : : ..... : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
          --TTCCATAAATTGCT--CC--C--CTGTGCAGACGTAACCATATCTGG--TCTC--C-----CT
          410      420      430      440      450

          850      860      870      880      890      900      910
inputs  GGCACAGCTCCCCAGTCTTCGCTTAAACACAGTGAACCCGAGCTGGCACTTGCTCCTCAGTGGAGGGT
          : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
          GGAAGAGCTGA--AGAATT-GCATGATT-----GCTAGCAGTTTC-----ATGGT
          460      470      480      490

          920      930      940      950      960      970      980
inputs  GTGACACTAACCCGCGCAGCGCATACCAGGAGGGCTGGCCCCCTGGAATATTGTGAATGACTTAGGAAGA
          ..... : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
          -----CTGGA-----GCACC-----ATCATTGGCATAGGCTGA
          500      510      520

          990      1000      1010      1020      1030      1040      1050
inputs  GAGGGAGCCACTTCCAGTCCCACTGCTGGCAATGAATGGAGACAGGCTGTCTGAGGTCAAGACAGCGTGG
          : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
          -----TACCAAGACCTCTTCATTCTT-----CAN-----TGAGGT--TGACA-----
          530      540      550

          1060      1070      1080      1090      1100      1110      1120
inputs  AGCAGTGGCTGGGTTTCTGCCCAGGACTTTAGAATGCAGTAGGCTGGCAGCTGTGGGTCTGCCCCAGGA
          ..... : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
          TACAGTGGCACATTCACTGCC--AGCTTT--TACA-----TGTGAAAAATGA--AAAA
          560      570      580      590      600

          1130      1140      1150      1160      1170      1180      1190

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FIG. 8B

```

inputs CTCCAAGGTGGGATGCTCCATTCCTAGTCCTGTGTCCCCTCTAGGTCCCTGACTCCATCTCTGCTGCTCC
:   . . . . . : . . . . . . . . . . : : : : : : . . . . . :
C---GTAGTG-----CCATTC-----ACTTGG-----CAAT---TAAATCTAC
      610                               620                               630

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```

           1200       1210       1220       1230       1240       1250       1260
inputs CAGGGCAGGCCTTTTCTCAGAGGTCACTTAATAAACCTAAAATCCTCAAAAAAAAAAAAAAGGGCGGC
: . . . . . : : : : : : . . . . . :
CAAAGCTG-----AGA-----TCAA-----
640                               650

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inputs CGC

FIG. 8C

GTCTGACCCACGCGTCCGCGGACGCGTGGGTGAGGGGAAGAGGCTGACTGTACGTTCTTCTACTCTGGCACCCTCTCC	79
M G P S T P L L I L F L L S W S G	17
AGGCTGCC ATG GGG CCC AGC ACC CCT CTC CTC ATC TTG TTC CTT TTG TCA TGG TCG GGA	138
P L Q G Q Q H H L V E Y M E R R L A A L	37
CCC CTC CAA GGA CAG CAG CAC CAC CTT GTG GAG TAC ATG GAA CGC CGA CTA GCT GCT TTA	198
E E R L A Q C Q D Q S S R H A A E L R D	57
GAG GAA CGG CTG GCC CAG TGC CAG GAC CAG AGT AGT CGG CAT GCT GCT GAG CTG CGG GAC	258
F K N K M L P L L E V A E K E R E A L R	77
TTC AAG AAC AAG ATG CTG CCA CTG CTG GAG GTG GCA GAG AAG GAG CGG GAG GCA CTC AGA	318
T E A D T I S G R V D R L E R E V D Y L	97
ACT GAG GCC GAC ACC ATC TCC GGG AGA GTG GAT CGT CTG GAG CGG GAG GTA GAC TAT CTG	378
E T Q N P A L P C V E F D E K V T G G P	117
GAG ACC CAG AAC CCA GCT CTG CCC TGT GTA GAG TTT GAT GAG AAG GTG ACT GGA GGC CCT	438
G T K G K G R R N E K Y D M V T D C G Y	137
GGG ACC AAA GGC AAG GGA AGA AGG AAT GAG AAG TAC GAT ATG GTG ACA GAC TGT GGC TAC	498
T I S Q V R S M K I L K R F G G P A G L	157
ACA ATC TCT CAA GTG AGA TCA ATG AAG ATT CTG AAG CGA TTT GGT GGC CCA GCT GGT CTA	558
W T K D P L G Q T E K I Y V L D G T Q N	177
TGG ACC AAG GAT CCA CTG GGG CAA ACA GAG AAG ATC TAC GTG TTA GAT GGG ACA CAG AAT	618
D T A F V F P R L R D F T L A M A A R K	197
GAC ACA GCC TTT GTC TTC CCA AGG CTG CGT GAC TTC ACC CTT GCC ATG GCT GCC CGG AAA	678
A S R V R V P F P W V G T G Q L V Y G G	217
GCT TCC CGA GTC CGG GTG CCC TTC CCC TGG GTA GGC ACA GGG CAG CTG GTA TAT GGT GGC	738
F L Y F A R R P P G R P G G G G E M E N	237
TTT CTT TAT TTT GCT CGG AGG CCT CCT GGA AGA CCT GGT GGA GGT GGT GAG ATG GAG AAC	798
T L Q L I K F H L A N R T V V D S S V F	257
ACT TTG CAG CTA ATC AAA TTC CAC CTG GCA AAC CGA ACA GTG GTG GAC AGC TCA GTA TTC	858
P A E G L I P P Y G L T A D T Y I D L A	277
CCA GCA GAG GGG CTG ATC CCC CCC TAC GGC TTG ACA GCA GAC ACC TAC ATC GAC CTG GCA	918
A D E E G L W A V Y A T R E D D R H L C	297
GCT GAT GAG GAA GGT CTT TGG GCT GTC TAT GCC ACC CGG GAG GAT GAC AGG CAC TTG TGT	978
L A K L D P Q T L D T E Q Q W D T P C P	317

FIG. 9A

CTG GCC AAG TTA GAT CCA CAG ACA CTG GAC ACA GAG CAG CAG TGG GAC ACA CCA TGT CCC 1038

R E N A E A A F V I C G T L Y V V Y N _ T 337
AGA GAG AAT GCT GAG GCT GCC TTT GTC ATC TGT GGG ACC CTC TAT GTC GTC TAT AAC ACC 1098

R P A S R A R I Q C S F D A S G T L T P 357
CGT CCT GCC AGT CGG GCC CGC ATC CAG TGC TCC TTT GAT GCC AGC GGC ACC CTG ACC CCT 1158

E R A A L P Y F P R R Y G A H A S L R Y 377
GAA CGG GCA GCA CTC CCT TAT TTT CCC CGC AGA TAT GGT GCC CAT GCC AGC CTC CGC TAT 1218

N P R E R Q L Y A W D D G Y Q I V Y K L 397
AAC CCC CGA GAA CGC CAG CTC TAT GCC TGG GAT GAT GGC TAC CAG ATT GTC TAT AAG CTG 1278

E M R K K E E E V * 407
GAG ATG AGG AAG AAA GAG GAG GAG GTT TGA 1308

GGAGCTAGCCTTGTTTTTGCATCTTTCTCACTCCCATACATTTATATTATATCCCCACTAAATTTCTTGTTCTCTCATT 1387

CTTCAAATGTGGGCCAGTTGTGGCTCAAATCCTCTATATTTTTAGCCAATGGCAATCAAATTTCTTTCAGCTCCTTTGTT 1466

TCATACGGAACCTCCAGATCCTGAGTAATCCTTTTAGAGCCCGAAGAGTCAAAACCCTCAATGTTCCCTCCTGCTCTCCT 1545

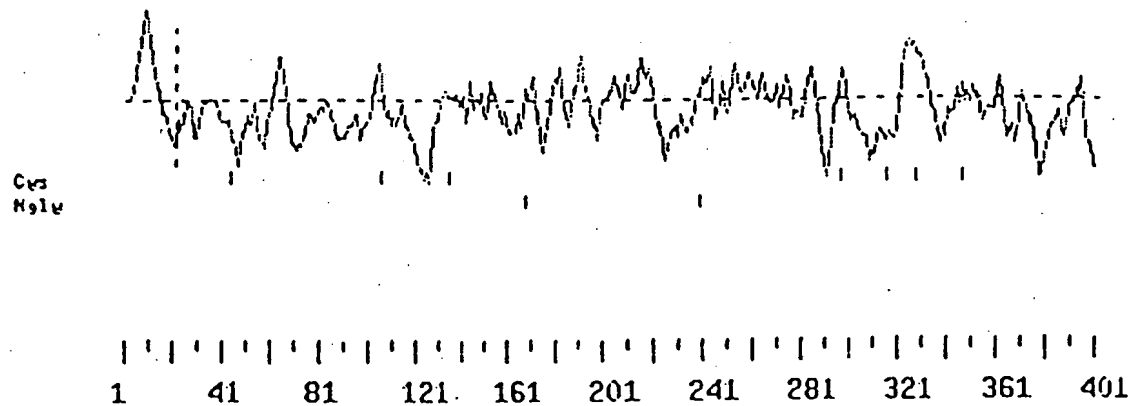
GCCCCATGTCAACAAATTTTCAGGCTAAGGATGCCCCAGACCCAGGGCTCTAACCTTGATGCGGGCAGGCCAGGGAGC 1624

AGGCAGCAGTGTTCTTCCCCTCAGAGTGACTTGGGGAGGGAGAAATAGGAGGAGACGTCCAGCTCTGTCCTCTCTTCT 1703

CACTCCTCCCTTCAGTGTCCTGAGGAACAGGACTTTCTCCACATTGTTTTGTATTGCAACATTTTGCATTAAAAGGAAA 1782

ATCCACTGCTAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAGGGCGGCCGC 1831

FIG. 9B



MGPSTPLLILFLLSWGPLQGQHHLVEYMERRLAAL EERLAQCQDQSSRHAAELRDFKN
KMLPLLEVAEKEREALRTEADTISGRVDRLEREVDYLETONPALPCVEFDEKVTGGPGTK
GKGRRNEKYDMVTDCGYTISQVRSMKILKRFGGPAGLWTKDPLGQTEKIYVLDGTQNDTA
FVFPRLRDFTLAMAARKASRVVPFPWVG TGQLVYGGFLYFARRPPGRPGGGGEMENTLQ
LIKFH LANRTVVDSSVFPAEGLIPPYGLTADTYIDLAAD EEWAVYATREDDRHLC LAK
LDPQTL DTEQQWDTPCPRENAEAAFV ICGTLYVVYNTRPASRARIQCSFDASGTLTPERA
ALPYFP RRYGAHASLRYNPRERQLYAWDDGYQIVYKLEMRKKEEEV

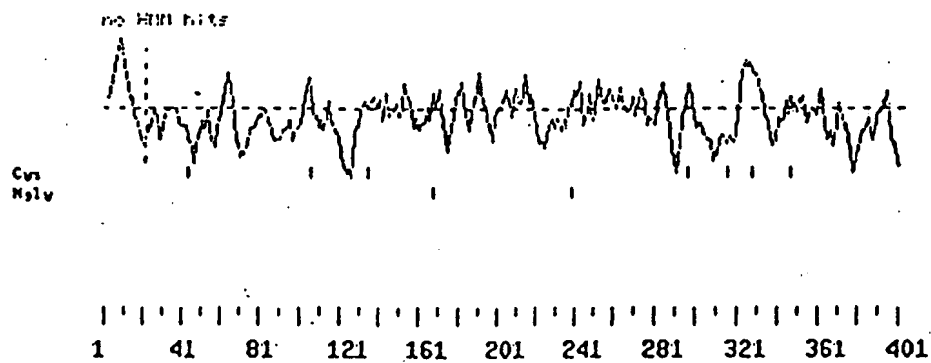
FIG. 10

	M	G	P	S	A	P	L	L	L	L	F	F	12
GTCGACCCACGCGTCCGACTTAAGGCTGCC	ATG	GGG	CCC	AGT	GCT	CCT	CTG	CTG	CTC	CTC	TTC	TTT	66
L	S	W	T	G	P	L	Q	G	Q	Q	H	H	32
TTG	TCA	TGG	ACG	GGA	CCC	CTT	CAG	GGA	CAG	CAG	CAC	CAC	126
R	L	A	A	L	E	E	R	L	A	Q	C	Q	52
CGA	CTA	GCT	GCC	TTA	GAG	GAA	CGG	CTG	GCC	CAA	TGC	CAG	186
A	E	L	R	D	F	K	N	K	M	L	P	L	72
GCC	GAG	CTT	CGG	GAC	TTC	AAA	AAC	AAG	ATG	TTG	CCT	CTC	246
R	E	T	L	R	T	E	A	D	S	I	S	G	92
CGG	GAG	ACC	CTC	AGA	ACT	GAA	GCA	GAC	TCC	ATC	TCA	GGA	306
E	V	D	Y	L	E	T	Q	N	P	A	L	P	112
GAG	GTA	GAC	TAT	CTG	GAG	ACA	CAG	AAC	CCA	GCT	TTG	CCC	366
V	T	G	G	P	G	A	K	G	K	G	R	R	132
GTG	ACT	GGA	GGT	CCT	GGA	GCC	AAA	GGC	AAG	GGC	CGA	AGA	426
T	D	C	S	Y	T	V	A	Q	V	R	S	M	152
ACG	GAC	TGT	AGC	TAC	ACA	GTC	GCT	CAG	GTG	AGG	TCA	ATG	486
G	S	V	G	L	W	T	K	D	P	L	G	P	172
GGT	TCA	GTT	GGC	CTA	TGG	ACC	AAG	GAT	CCG	CTG	GGG	CCA	546
D	G	T	Q	N	D	T	A	F	V	F	P	R	192
GAC	GGC	ACC	CAG	AAC	GAC	ACG	GCT	TTT	GTG	TTC	CCA	AGG	606
M	A	A	R	K	A	S	R	I	R	V	P	F	212
ATG	GCT	GCC	CGG	AAA	GCT	TCC	CGA	ATT	CGG	GTG	CCC	TTC	666
L	V	Y	G	G	F	L	Y	Y	A	R	R	P	232
CTG	GTG	TAC	GGT	GGC	TTC	CTT	TAT	TAT	GCT	CGA	AGG	CCT	726
G	E	L	E	N	T	L	Q	L	I	K	F	H	252
GGT	GAA	TTG	GAG	AAC	ACT	CTG	CAG	CTG	ATC	AAA	TTT	CAC	786
D	S	S	V	F	P	A	E	S	L	I	P	P	272
GAT	AGC	TCA	GTG	TTC	CCT	GCA	GAG	AGC	CTG	ATA	CCC	CCC	846
Y	I	D	L	A	A	D	E	E	G	L	W	A	292
TAT	ATC	GAC	CTG	GCA	GCT	GAT	GAG	GAG	GGC	CTG	TGG	GCT	906
D	R	H	L	C	L	A	K	L	D	P	Q	T	312
GAC	AGG	CAT	TTG	TGT	CTA	GCC	AAG	TTA	GAC	CCA	CAG	ACA	966
D	T	P	C	P	R	E	N	A	E	A	A	F	332

FIG. 11A

GAC ACA CCA TGT CCC AGA GAG AAC GCA GAG GCT GCG TTT GTC ATC TGT GGG ACC CTG TAC 1026
 V V Y N T R P A S R A R I Q C S F D A S 352
 GTT GTC TAT AAC ACC CGC CCT GCC AGT AGG GCT CGT ATT CAG TGT TCC TTC GAT GCC AGT 1086
 G T L A P E R A A L S Y F P R R Y G A H 372
 GGT ACT CTC GCC CCT GAA AGG GCA GCA CTC TCC TAT TTT CCA CGC CGA TAT GGT GCC CAT 1146
 A S L R Y N P R E R Q L Y A W D D G Y Q 392
 GCC AGC CTT CGC TAT AAC CCC CGT GAG CGC CAG CTG TAT GCC TGG GAT GAT GGC TAC CAG 1206
 I V Y K L E M K K K E E E V * 407
 ATT GTC TAC AAA TTG GAG ATG AAG AAG AAG GAG GAG GAA GTT TAA 1251
 GCAGCTAGCCTTGTGCTCTTGATTCTTATGCCCAGACATTTATATTCTGTGAGCTCTCCTGCAGTTCATCCTTCAAAA 1330
 CGAAGGCCAGTGGTGGTAGCTCATATACCCTAATTTCTAAAGGACAACCAAATTCTCAAGCCCCTCTGTTTTATGCAGA 1409
 ACTCCAGATCCTGGGTAGCATTTTAGAACTGAACAGCAAACAACACCCTAAATCTTCACTCCTGCCTTATGTCCACAA 1488
 AGTTTAGTTCCAAACTCAGAGCCCTGTCCTTTGGAGAGGGTCAACCCAGACAGCAGGCGACAGCATTCTTGCCCTCAG 1567
 TATGACCGAAGGGAGAGAACTCAGAGACAAAGCTGCCCTCCCTCCCTTCCCCCTCCAGTGTAGGGGAGAATGGGGCTTT 1646
 CCECACATCACTTTGTATGGTAACAGTTTGCATTAAAAGGAAAACCCACCAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAGGGCGGCCGC 1721

FIG. 11B



>mT257

MGPSAPLLLLFFLSWTGPLQGQOHHLVEYMERRLAAL EERLAQCQDQSSRHAAELRDFKN
KMLPLLEVAEKERETLRTEADSI SGRVDRLEREVDYLETONPALPCVELDEKVTGGPGAK
GKGRRNEKYDMVTDCSYTVAQVRSMKILKRFGGSVGLWTKDPLGPAEKIYVLDGTQNDTA
FVFPRLRDFTLAMAARKASRIRVPFPWVG TQLVYGGFLYYARRPPGGPGGGGELENTLQ
LIKFH LANRTVVDSSVFP AESLIPPYGLTADTYIDLAAD EEWAVYATRDDRHLCLAK
LDPQTLDT EQQWDTPCPRENAEAA FVICGTLV VYNTRPASRARIQCSFDASGTLAPER A
ALSYFPRRYGAHASLRYNPRERQLYAWDDGYQIVYKLEMKKKEEV

FIG. 12

ALIGN calculates a global alignment of two sequences
 version 2.0u Please cite: Myers and Miller, CABIOS (1989)
 > ht257 a.a. 406 aa vs.
 > mt257a.a. 406 aa
 scoring matrix: paml20.mat, gap penalties: -12/-4
 94.1% identity; Global alignment score: 2097

	10	20	30	40	50	60	70
inputs	MGPSTPLLILFLLSWSGPLQGQHHLVEYMERRLAALAEERLAQCQDQSSRHAAELRDFKNKMLPILLEVAE						
	MGP S A P L L L L F L S W T G P L Q G Q H H L V E Y M E R R L A A L A E E R L A Q C Q D Q S S R H A A E L R D F K N K M L P L L E V A E						
	10	20	30	40	50	60	70
inputs	80	90	100	110	120	130	140
	KEREALRTEADTISGRVDRLEREVDYLETONPALPCVEFDEKVTGGPGTKGKGRNEKYDMVTDGCGYTIS						
	K E R E T L R T E A D S I S G R V D R L E R E V D Y L E T O N P A L P C V E L D E K V T G G P G A K G K G R R N E K Y D M V T D C S Y T V A						
	80	90	100	110	120	130	140
inputs	150	160	170	180	190	200	210
	QVRSMKILKRFGGPAGLWTKDPLGQTEKIYVLDGTQNDTAFVFPRLRDFTLAMAARKASRVVPFPWVGT						
	Q V R S M K I L K R F G G S V G L W T K D P L G P A E K I Y V L D G T Q N D T A F V F P R L R D F T L A M A A R K A S R I R V P F P W V G T						
	150	160	170	180	190	200	210
inputs	220	230	240	250	260	270	280
	GQLVYGGFLYFARRPPGRPGGGEMENTLQLIKFHANRTVVDSSVFPAGLIPPYGLTADTYIDLADE						
	G Q L V Y G G F L Y F A R R P P G R P G G G E L E N T L Q L I K F H A N R T V V D S S V F P A E S L I P P Y G L T A D T Y I D L A A D E						
	220	230	240	250	260	270	280
inputs	290	300	310	320	330	340	350
	EGLWAVYATREDDRHLCIAKLDPQTLDEQQWDTPCPRENAEAAFVICGTLVYVYNTRPASRARIQCSFD						
	E G L W A V Y A T R O D D R H L C I A K L D P Q T L D E Q Q W D T P C P R E N A E A A F V I C G T L Y V V Y N T R P A S R A R I Q C S F D						
	290	300	310	320	330	340	350
inputs	360	370	380	390	400		
	ASGTLTPERAALPYFPRRYGAHASLRYNPRERQLYAWDDGYQIVYKLEMRCKEEV						
	A S G T L A P E R A A L S Y F P R R Y G A H A S L R Y N P R E R Q L Y A W D D G Y Q I V Y K L E M R C K E E V						
	360	370	380	390	400		

FIG. 13

ALIGN calculates a global alignment of two sequences
 version 2.0u Please cite: Myers and Miller, CABIOS (1989)
 > hT257 a.a. 406 aa vs.
 > Patent Protein W75120 - (untitled) 355 aa
 scoring matrix: paml20.mat, gap penalties: -12/-4
 86.9% identity; Global alignment score: 1681

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      10      20      30      40      50      60      70
inputs MGPSTPLLILFLLSWGPLQGQHHLVEYMERRLAAL EERLAQCQDQSSRHAAELRDFKNKMLPLLEVAE
      .....
      MGPSTPLLILFLLSWGPLQGQHHLVEYMERRLAAL EERLAQCQDQSSRHAAELRDFKNKMLPLLEVAE
      10      20      30      40      50      60      70

      80      90     100     110     120     130     140
inputs KEREALRTEADTISGRVDRLEREVDYLETQNPALPCVEFDEKVTGGPGTKGKGRRNEKYDMVTDCCGYTIS
      .....
      KEREALRTEADTISGRVDRLEREVDYLETQNPALPCVEFDEKVTGGPGTKGKGRRNEKYDMVTDCCGYTIS
      80      90     100     110     120     130     140

      150     160     170     180     190     200     210
inputs QVRSMKILKRFGGPAGLWTKDPLGQTEKIYVLDGTQNDTAFVFPRLRDFTLAMAARKASRVVPFPWVGT
      .....
      QVRSMKILKRFGGPAGLWTKDPLGQTEKIYVLDGTQNDTAFVFPRLRDFTLAMAARKASRVVPFPWVGT
      150     160     170     180     190     200     210

      220     230     240     250     260     270     280
inputs GQLVYGGFLYFARRPPGRPGGGEMENTLQLIKFHLANRTVVDSSVFP AEGLIIPPYGLTADTYIDLADE
      .....
      GQLVYGGFLYFARRPPGRPGGGEMENTLQLIKFHLANRTVVDSSVFP AEGLIIPPYGLTADTYIDLADE
      220     230     240     250     260     270     280

      290     300     310     320     330     340     350
inputs EGLWAVYATREDDRHLC LAKLDPQTLDEQQWDTPCPRENAEAAFV ICGTLYVVYNTRPASRARIQCSFD
      .....
      EGLWAVYATREDDRHLC LAKLDPQTLDEQQWDTPCPRENAEAAFV ICGTLYVVYNTRPASRARIQCSFD
      290     300     310     320     330     340     350

      360     370     380     390     400
inputs ASGTLTPERAALPYFP RRYGAHASLRYNPRERQLYAWDDGYQIVYKLEM RKKEEV
      .....
      ASGPX-----
  
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FIG. 14

ALIGN calculates a global alignment of two sequences

version 2.0u Please cite: Myers and Miller, CABIOS (1989)

> T257 = A.

1832 aa vs.

> ac02146

1925 aa

scoring matrix: paml20.mat, gap penalties: -12/-4

93.5% identity; Global alignment score: 9158

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      10      20      30      40      50      60
inputs  GTCGACCCACGCGTCC---GCGGACGCGTGGG--TGAGGGGAAGAGGCTGACTGTACGTTCTTCTACTC
      :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::
      -----CCC-CGCCTCCAAAGCTAACCCCTCGGGCTTGAGGGGAAGANGCTGACTGTACGTTCTTCTACTC
      10      20      30      40      50      60

      70      80      90     100     110     120     130
inputs  TGGCACTACTCTCCAGGCTGCCATGGGGCCCAGCACCCCTCTCCTCATCTTGTTCTTTTGTTCATGGTTCG
      :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::
      TGGCACTACTCTCCAGGCTGCCATGGGGCCCAGCACCCCTCTCCTCATCTTGTTCTTTTGTTCATGGTTCG
      70      80      90     100     110     120     130

      140     150     160     170     180     190     200
inputs  GGACCCCTCCAAGGACAGCAGCACCACCTTGTTGGAGTACATGGAACGCCGACTAGCTGCTTTAGAGGAAC
      :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::
      GGACCCCTCCAAGGACAGCAGCACCACCTTGTTGGAGTACATGGAACGCCGACTAGCTGCTTTAGAGGAAC
      140     150     160     170     180     190     200

      210     220     230     240     250     260     270
inputs  GGCTGGCCCAGTGCCAGGACCAGAGTAGTCGGCATGCTGCTGAGCTGCGGGACTTCAAGAACAAGATGCT
      :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::
      GGCTGGCCCAGTGCCAGGACCAGAGTAGTCGGCATGCTGCTGAGCTGCGGGACTTCAAGAACAAGATGCT
      210     220     230     240     250     260     270

      280     290     300     310     320     330     340
inputs  -GCCACTGCTGGAGGTGGCAGAGAAGGAGCGGGAGGCACTCAGAACTGAGGCCGACACCATCTCCGGGAG
      :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::
      NGCCACTGCTGGAGGTGGCAGAGAAGGAGCGGGAGGCACTCAGAACTGAGGCCGACACCATCTCCGGGAG
      280     290     300     310     320     330     340

      350     360     370     380     390     400     410
inputs  AGTGGATCGTCTGGAGCGGGAGGTAGACTATCTGGAGACCCAGAACCCAGCTCTGCCCTGTGTAGAGTTT
      :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::
      AGTGGATCGTCTGGAGCGGGAGGTAGACTATCTGGAGACCCAGAACCCAGCTCTGCCCTGTGTAGAGTTT
      350     360     370     380     390     400     410

      420     430     440     450     460     470     480
inputs  GATGAGAAGGTGACTGGAGGCCCTGGGACCAAAGGCAAGGGAAGAAGGAATGAGAAGTACGATATGGTGA
      :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::  :::::
      GATGAGAAGGTGACTGGAGGCCCTGGGACCAAAGGCAAGGGAAGAAGGAATGAGAAGTACGATATGGTGA
      420     430     440     450     460     470     480

      490     500     510     520     530     540     550

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FIG. 15A

FIG. 15B

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AATGCTGAGGCTGCCTTTNTCATCTGTGGGACCCCTCTATGTCGTCTATAACACCCGCTCTGCCAGTCGGG
1050      1060      1070      1080      1090      1100      1110      -

1120      1130      1140      1150      1160      1170      1180
inputs CCCGCATCCAGTGCTCCTTTGATGCCAGCGGCACCCTGACCCCTGAACGGGCAGCACTCCCTTATTTTCC
:
:
:
CCCGCATCCAGTGCTCCTTTGATGCCAGCGG-ACCCTGACCCCTGAACGGGCAGCACTCCCTTATTTTCC
1120      1130      1140      1150      1160      1170      1180

1190      1200      1210      1220      1230      1240      1250
inputs CCCGAGATATGGTGCCCATGCCAGCCTCCGCTATAACCCCGAGAACGCCAGCTCTATGCCTGGGATGAT
:
:
:
CCCGAGATATGGTGCCCATGCCAGCCTCCGCTATAACCCCGAGAACGCCAGCTCTATGCCTGGGATGAT
1190      1200      1210      1220      1230      1240      1250

1260      1270      1280      1290      1300      1310      1320
inputs GGCTACCAGATTGTCTATAAGCTGGAGATGAGGAAGAAAGAGGAGGAGGTTTGAGGAGCTAGCCTTGTTT
:
:
:
CGCTACCAGATTGTCTATAAGCTGGAGATGAGGAAGAAAGAGGAGGAGGTTTGAGGAGCTAGCCTTGTTT
1260      1270      1280      1290      1300      1310      1320

1330      1340      1350      1360      1370      1380      1390
inputs TTTGCATCTTTCTCACTCCCATACATTTATATTATATCCCCACTAAATTTCTTGTTTCCTCATTTCTTCAA
:
:
:
TTTGCATCTTTCTCACTCCCATACATTTATATTATATCCCCACTAAATTTCTTGTTTCCTCATTTCTTCAA
1330      1340      1350      1360      1370      1380      1390

1400      1410      1420      1430      1440      1450      1460
inputs TGTGGGCCAGTTGTGGCTCAAATCCTCTATATTTTAGCCAATGGCAATCAAATTCCTTCAGCTCCTTTG
:
:
:
TGTGGGCCAGTTGTGGCTCAAATCCTCTATATTTTAGCCAATGGCAATCAAATTCCTTCAGCTCCTTTG
1400      1410      1420      1430      1440      1450      1460

1470      1480      1490      1500      1510      1520      1530
inputs TTTCATACGGAAGTCCAGATCCTGAGTAATCCTTTTAGAGCCCGAAGAGTCAAAACCCCTCAATGTTCCCT
:
:
:
TTTCATACGGAAGTCCAGATCCTGAGTAATCCTTTTAGAGCCCGAAGAGTCAAAACCCCTCAATGTTCCCT
1470      1480      1490      1500      1510      1520      1530

1540      1550      1560      1570      1580      1590      1600
inputs CCTGCTCTCCTGCCCCATGTCAACAAATTTAGGCTAAGGATGCCCCAGACCCAGGGCTCTAACCTTGT
:
:
:
CCTGCTCTCCTGCCCCATGTCAACAAATTTAGGCTAAGGATGCCCC-AGACCCAGGGCTCTAACCTTGT
1540      1550      1560      1570      1580      1590      1600

1610      1620      1630      1640      1650      1660      1670
inputs ATGCGGGCAGGCCAGGGAGCAGGCAGCAGTGTTCTTCCCCTCAGAGTGACTTGGGGAGGGAGAAATAGG
:
:
:
ATGCGGGCAGGCCAGGGAGCAGGCAGCAGTGTTCTTCCCCTCAGAGTGACTTGGGGAGGGAGAAATAGG
1610      1620      1630      1640      1650      1660      1670

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FIG. 15C

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      1680      1690      1700      1710      1720      1730      1740
inputs AGGAGACGTCCAGCTCTGTCCTCTCTTCCTCACTCCTCCCTTCAGTGTCTCAGGAACAGGACTTTCTCC
      .....
      AGGAGACGTCCAGCTCTGTCCTCTCTTCCTCACTCCTCCCTTCAGTGTCTCAGGAACAGGACTTTCTCC
      1680      1690      1700      1710      1720      1730      1740

      1750      1760      1770      1780      1790      1800      1810
inputs ACATTGTTTTGTATTGCAACATTTTGCATTAAAAGGAAAATCCACTGCTAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA
      .....
      ACATTGTTTTGTATTGCAACATTTTGCATTAAAAGGAAAATCCANAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA
      1750      1760      1770      1780      1790      1800      1810

      1820                                     1830
inputs AAAAAAAGG-----GCGGCCGC-----
      .....
      AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAACTGCGGCCGCTGTCCCTTCTG
      1820      1830      1840      1850      1860      1870      1880

inputs -----

      TCGTCTTCTCGCAGCCGTACCCTTCTGTCGTCTTCTCGCAGCC
      1890      1900      1910      1920
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FIG. 15D

ALIGN calculates a global alignment of two sequences
 version 2.0u Please cite: Myers and Miller, CABIOS (1989)
 > mT257a.a. 406 aa vs.
 > Patent Protein W75120 - (untitled) 355 aa
 scoring matrix: paml20.mat, gap penalties: -12/-4
 81.8% identity; Global alignment score: 1599

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      10      20      30      40      50      60      70
inputs  MGPSAPLLLLFFLSWTGPLQGQHHLVEYMERRLAALAEERLAQCQDQSSRHAAELRDFKNKMLPLLEVAE
      .....
      MGPSAPLLLLFFLSWTGPLQGQHHLVEYMERRLAALAEERLAQCQDQSSRHAAELRDFKNKMLPLLEVAE
      10      20      30      40      50      60      70

      80      90     100     110     120     130     140
inputs  KERETLRTEADSIISGRVDRLEREVDYLETONPALPCVELDEKVTGGPGAKGKGRNEKYDMVTDCSYTVA
      .....
      KEREALRTEADTIISGRVDRLEREVDYLETONPALPCVEFDEKVTGGPGTKGKGRNEKYDMVTDCGYTIS
      80      90     100     110     120     130     140

      150     160     170     180     190     200     210
inputs  QVRSMKILKRFGGSVGLWTKDPLGPAEKIYVLDGTQNDTAFVFPRLRDFTLAMAARKASRIRVPFPWVG
      .....
      QVRSMKILKRFGGPAGLWTKDPLGQTEKIYVLDGTQNDTAFVFPRLRDFTLAMAARKASRVVPFPWVG
      150     160     170     180     190     200     210

      220     230     240     250     260     270     280
inputs  GQLVYGGFLYYARRPPGGPGGGGELENTLQLIKFHLANRTVVDSSVFPAESLIPPYGLTADTYIDLADE
      .....
      GQLVYGGFLYFARRPPGRPGGGGEMENTLQLIKFHLANRTVVDSSVFPAGLIPPYGLTADTYIDLADE
      220     230     240     250     260     270     280

      290     300     310     320     330     340     350
inputs  EGLWAVYATRDDRHLCLAKLDPQTLDEQQWDTPCPRENAEAAAFVICGTLVYVYNTRPASRARIQCSFD
      .....
      EGLWAVYATREDDRHLCLAKLDPQTLDEQQWDTPCPRENAEAAAFVICGTLVYVYNTRPASRARIQCSFD
      290     300     310     320     330     340     350

      360     370     380     390     400
inputs  ASGTLAPERAAALSYFPRRYGAHASLRYNPRERQLYAWDDGYQIVYKLEMKKKEEV
      ...
      ASGPX-----

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FIG. 16

ALIGN calculates a global alignment of two sequences
 version 2.0uPlease cite: Myers and Miller, CABIOS (1989)
 > mt257 n.a. 1721 aa vs.
 > Patent Nucleotide V34217 - (untitled) 1890 aa
 scoring matrix: pam120.mat, gap penalties: -12/-4
 76.2% identity; Global alignment score: 6493

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              10              20
inputs GT-----CGACCCAC---GCGTCC-----GACTTAAGG-----
      ..          :: :::::  :: :::  :::::
      GAGCAGGAGAGAAGGCACCGCCCCACCCCGCCTCCAAAGCTAACCCCTCGGGCTTGAGGGGAAGAGGCTGA
              10      20      30      40      50      60      70

              30      40      50
inputs -----CTGCCATGGGGCCAGTGCTCCTCTGCTGCTCCT
      :::::
      CTGTACGTTCTTCTACTCTGGCACCCTCTCCAGGCTGCCATGGGGCCAGCACCCTCTCCTCATCTT
              80      90      100      110      120      130      140

              60      70      80      90      100      110      120
inputs CTTCTTTTGTGTCATGGACGGGACCCCTTCAGGGACAGCAGCACCACCTTGTGGAGTACATGGAACGCCGA
      :::::
      GTTCCTTTTGTGTCATGGTCGGGACCCCTCCAAGGACAGCAGCACCACCTTGTGGAGTACATGGAACGCCGA
              150      160      170      180      190      200      210

              130      140      150      160      170      180      190
inputs CTAGCTGCCTTAGAGGAACGGCTGGCCCAATGCCAGGATCAGAGTAGTCGGCATGCTGCCGAGCTTCGGG
      :::::
      CTAGCTGCTTTAGAGGAACGGCTGGCCCAAGTGGCAGGACCAGAGTAGTCGGCATGCTGCTGAGCTGCGGG
              220      230      240      250      260      270      280

              200      210      220      230      240      250      260
inputs ACTTCAAAAACAAGATGTTGCCTCTCCTGGAGGTGGCAGAGAAGGAGCGGGAGACCCTCAGAACTGAAGC
      :::::
      ACTTCAAGAACAAGATGCTGCCACTGCTGGAGGTGGCAGAGAAGGAGCGGGAGGCACTCAGAACTGAGGC
              290      300      310      320      330      340      350

              270      280      290      300      310      320      330
inputs AGACTCCATCTCAGGAAGAGTGGACCGTCTTGAAAGGGAGGTAGACTATCTGGAGACACAGAACCAGCT
      :::::
      CGACACCATCTCCGGGAGAGTGGATCGTCTGGAGCGGGAGGTAGACTATCTGGAGACCCAGAACCAGCT
              360      370      380      390      400      410      420

              340      350      360      370      380      390      400
inputs TTGCCCTGTGTAGAGCTGGATGAGAAGGTGACTGGAGGTCTGGAGCCAAAGGCAAGGGCCGAAGAAATG
      :::::
      CTGCCCTGTGTAGAGTTTGATGAGAAGGTGACTGGAGGCCCTGGGACCAAAGGCAAGGGGAAGGAAGT
              430      440      450      460      470      480      490

              410      420      430      440      450      460      470
inputs AGAAATACGATATGGTGACGACTGTAGCTACACAGTCGCTCAGGTGAGGTCAATGAAGATCCTGAAGCG
      :::::
      AGAAGTACGATATGGTGACAGACTGTGGCTACACAATCTCTCAAGTGAGATCAATGAAGATTCTGAAGCG
              500      510      520      530      540      550      560

              480      490      500      510      520      530      540
inputs GTTTGGTGGTTTCAGTTGGCCTATGGACCAAGGATCCGCTGGGGCCAGCAGAGAAGATCTACGTGTTAGAC
      :::::
      ATTTGGTGGGCCAGCTGGTCTATGGACCAAGGATCCACTGGGGCAAACAGAGAAGATCTACGTGTTAGAT
              570      580      590      600      610      620      630

              550      560      570      580      590      600      610
inputs GGCACCCAGAACGACACGGCTTTTGTCTTCCCAAGGCTGGGTGACTTCACCCTTGCCATGGCTGCCCGGA
      :::::
      GGGACACAGAATGACACAGCCTTTGTCTTCCCAAGGCTGGGTGACTTCACCCTTGCCATGGCTGCCCGGA
              640      650      660      670      680      690      700

              620      630      640      650      660      670      680
inputs AAGCTTCCCGAATTCCGGGTGCCCTTCCCCTGGGTAGGCACGGGGCAGCTGGTGTACGGTGGCTTCCTTTA
      :::::

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FIG. 17A

FIG. 17B

FIG. 17C

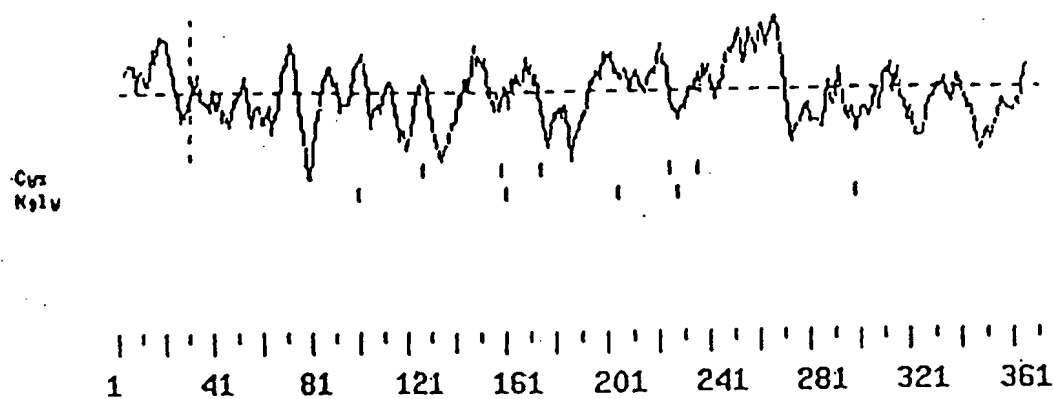
GTCGACCCACGCGTNCNTCCAGCGTNCGGAGCCGCCCTGGGTGTCAGCGGCTCGGCTCCCGCGCACGCTCCGGCCGTCG	79
CGCAGCCTCGGCACCTGCAGGTCCGTGCGTCCCGCGGCTGGCGCCCCCTGACTCCGTCCCGGCCAGGGAGGGCC	1
ATG	155
I S L P G P L V T N L X R F L F L G L S	21
ATT TCC CTC CCG GGG CCC CTG GTG ACC AAC TTG NTG CGG TTT TTG TTC CTG GGG CTG AGT	215
A L A P P S R A Q L Q L H L P A N R L Q	41
GCC CTC GCG CCC CCC TCG CGG GCC CAG CTG CAA CTG CAC TTG CCC GCC AAC CGG TTG CAG	275
A V E E G E S G A S A W Y T L H R E V S	61
GCG GTG GAG GAG GGG GAA AGT GGT GCT TCA GCA TGG TAC ACC TTG CAC AGG GAG GTG TCT	335
S S Q P W E V P F V M W F F K Q K E K E	81
TCA TCC CAG CCA TGG GAG GTG CCC TTT GTG ATG TGG TTC TTC AAA CAG AAA GAA AAG GAG	395
D Q V L S Y I N G V T T S K P G V S L V	101
GAT CAG GTG TTG TCC TAC ATC AAT GGG GTC ACA ACA AGC AAA CCT GGA GTA TCC TTG GTC	455
Y S M P S R N L S L R V E G L Q E K D S	121
TAC TCC ATG CCC TCC CGG AAC CTG TCC CTG CGG GTG GAG GGT CTC CAG GAG AAA GAC TCT	515
G P Y S C S V N V Q D K Q G K S R G H S	141
GGC CCC TAC AGC TGC TCC GTG AAT GTG CAA GAC AAA CAA GGC AAA TCT AGG GGC CAC AGC	575
I K T L E L N V L V P P A P P S C R L Q	161
ATC AAA ACC TTA GAA CTC AAT GTA CTG GTT CCT CCA GCT CCT CCA TCC TGC CGT CTC CAG	635
G V P H V G A N V T L S C Q S P R S K P	181
GGT GTG CCC CAT GTG GGG GCA AAC GTG ACC CTG AGC TGC CAG TCT CCA AGG AGT AAG CCC	695
A V Q Y Q W D R Q L P S F Q T F F A P A	201
GCT GTC CAA TAC CAG TGG GAT CGG CAG CTT CCA TCC TTC CAG ACT TTC TTT GCA CCA GCA	755
L D V I R G S L S L T N L S S S M A G V	221
TTA GAT GTC ATC CGT GGG TCT TTA AGC CTC ACC AAC CTT TCG TCT TCC ATG GCT GGA GTC	815
Y V C K A H N E V G T A Q C N V T L E V	241
TAT GTC TGC AAG GCC CAC AAT GAG GTG GGC ACT GCC CAA TGT AAT GTG ACG CTG GAA GTG	875
S T G P G A A V V A E A V V G T L V G L	261
AGC ACA GGG CCT GGA GCT GCA GTG GTT GCT GAA GCT GTT GTG GGT ACC CTG GTT GGA CTG	935
G L L A G L V L L Y H R R G K A L E E P	281
GGG TTG CTG GCT GGG CTG GTC CTC TTG TAC CAC CGC CGG GGC AAG GCC CTG GAG GAG CCA	995
A N D I K E D A I A P R T L P W P K S S	301

FIG. 18A

GCC AAT GAT ATC AAG GAG GAT GCC ATT GCT CCC CGG ACC CTG CCC TGG CCC AAG AGC TCA 1055
 D T I S K N G T L S S V T S A R A L R -P 321
 GAC ACA ATC TCC AAG AAT GGG ACC CTT TCC TCT GTC ACC TCC GCA CGA GCC CTC CGG CCA 1115
 P H G P P R P G A L T P T P S L S S Q A 341
 CCC CAT GGC CCT CCC AGG CCT GGT GCA TTG ACC CCC ACG CCC AGT CTA TCC AGC CAG GCC 1175
 L P S P R H A H D R W G P P S T N I P H 361
 CTG CCC TCA CCA AGA CAT GCC CAC GAC AGA TGG GGC CCA CCC TCA ACC AAT ATC CCC CAT 1235
 P W W G F F L W L * 371
 CCC TGG TGG GGT TTT TTC CTT TGG CTT TGA 1265

GCCGCATGGGTGCTGNGCCTGTGATGGNGCCTGCCAGAGTCAAGCTGGCTCTCTGGTATGATGACCCCACTCATT 1344
 GGCTAAAGGATTTGGGGTCTCTCCTTCTCTATAAGGGTCACCTCTAGCACAGAGGCCTGAGTCATGGGAAAGAGTCACAC 1423
 TCCTGACCCTTAGTACTCTGCCCCACCTCTCTTTACTGTGGGAAAACCATCTCAGTAAGACCTAAGTGTCCAGGAGAC 1502
 AGAAGGAGAAGAGGAAGTGGATCTGGAATTGGGAGGAGCCTCCACCCACCCCTGACTCCTCCTTATGAAGCCAGCTGCT 1581
 TAAATTAGCTACTCACCAAGAGTGAGGGGCAGAGACTTCCAGTCACTGAGTCTCCAGGCCCTTGTATCTGTACCCCA 1660
 TCCCTATCTAACACCACCCTTGGCTCCCACTCCAGCTCCCTGTATTGATATAACCTGTCAGGCTGGCTTGGTTAGGTTT 1739
 TACTGGGGCAGAGGATAGGGAATCTCTTATTAAACTAACATGAAATATGTGTTGTTTTTCATTTGCAAATTTAAATAAA 1818
 GATACATAATGTTTGTATGAGATAAGAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAGGGCGGCCGC 1869

FIG. 18B



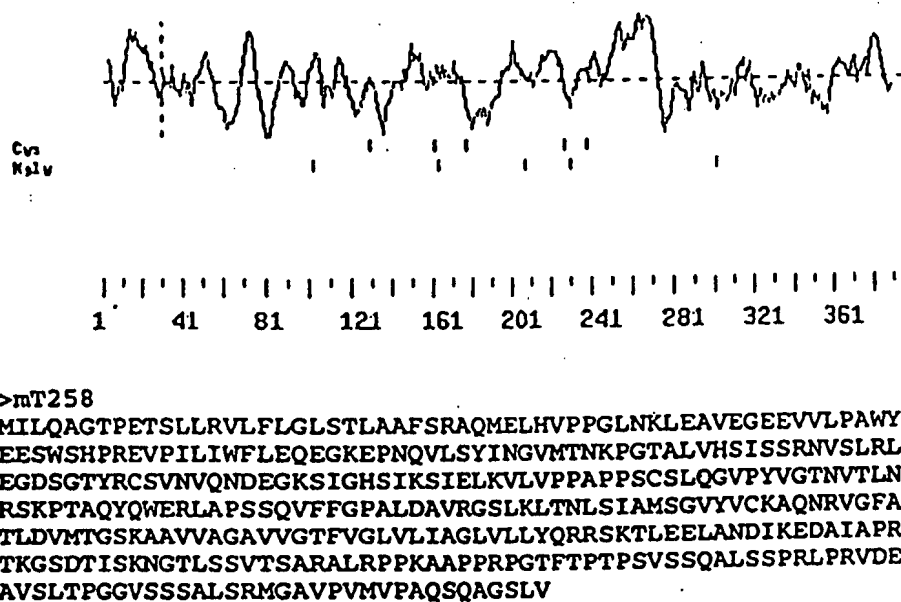
MISLPGPLVTNLXRFLFLGLSALAPPSRAQLQLHLPANRLQAVEEGESGASAWYTLHREV
SSSQPWEVPFVMWFFKQKEKEDQVLSYINGVTTSKPGVSLVYSMPSRNLSLRVEGLQEKD
SGPYSCSVNVQDKQGKSRGHSIKTLELNVLPAPPSCRLQGVPHVGANVTLSQSPRSK
PAVQYQWDRQLPSFQTFAPALDVIRGSLSLTNLSSSMAGVYVCKAHNEVGTAQCNTLE
VSTGPGAAVVAEAVVGTLVGLGLLAGLVLLYHRRGKALEEPANDIKEDAIAPRTLWPWPKS
SDTISKNGTLSSVTSARALRPPHGP RP GALTPTPSLSSQALPSPRHAHDRWGPPSTNIP
HPWWGFFLWL

FIG. 19

FIG. 20A

S	S	V	T	S	A	R	A	L	R	P	P	K	A	A	P	P	R	P	G	333
TCT	TCG	GTC	ACC	TCA	GCA	CGA	GCT	CTG	CGG	CCA	CCC	AAG	GCT	GCT	CCT	CCA	AGA	CCT	GSC	1105
T	F	T	P	T	P	S	V	S	S	Q	A	L	S	S	P	R	L	P	R	353
ACA	TTT	ACT	CCC	ACA	CCC	AGT	GTC	TCT	AGC	CAG	GCC	CTG	TCC	TCA	CCA	AGA	CTG	CCC	AGG	1165
V	D	E	P	P	P	Q	A	V	S	L	T	P	G	G	V	S	S	S	A	373
GTA	GAT	GAA	CCC	CCA	CCT	CAG	GCA	GTG	TCC	CTG	ACC	CCA	GGT	GGG	GTG	TCT	TCT	TCT	GCT	1225
L	S	R	M	G	A	V	P	V	M	V	P	A	Q	S	Q	A	G	S	L	393
CTG	AGC	CGC	ATG	GGT	GCT	GTG	CCT	GTG	ATG	GTG	CCT	GCA	CAG	AGT	CAG	GCT	GGG	TCT	CTT	1285
V																				395
GTG	TGA																			1291
TAGCCCAGGCACTCATTAGCTACATCTGGTATCTGACCTTTCTGTAAAGGTCTCCTTGTGGCACAGAGGACTCAATCTT																				1370
GGGAGGATGCCCACATTCTAGACCTCCAGTCCTTTGCTCCTACCTCCTTCTATTGTTGGAATACTGGGCCTCAGTAAGA																				1449
CTAAAATCTGGGTCAAAGGACAAAAGGAGGAAATGGACCTGAGGTAGGGGGTTGGGAGTGAGGAGGCTTCACTTCCTCC																				1528
TGCTTCTCCCTGAAGCCAGATGAATGCTGCGGAAGATCGGCTACCCTCCAAGGGCTCTGGAGGAGACTGCCAGTCAGT																				1607
ATGCCCCTGGCTCTGTGATCTGTACAACACCCTTATCTAATGCTGTCCTTTGCCGTTGCTCCATCTCCCTGTATTAA																				1686
ATAACCTGTCCTGCTGGCTTGGCTGGGTTTTGTTGTAGCAGGGGGATAGGAAAGACATTTTAAAATCTGACTTGAAAT																				1765
GATGTTTTTGTGTTTTTATTTTGCAAATTTCAATAAAGATACATCGCATTGTCATGGAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAGGGCGGCC																				1844
																				1846

FIG. 20B

**FIG. 21**

ALIGN calculates a global alignment of two sequences
 version 2.0uPlease cite: Myers and Miller, CABIOS (1989)
 > hT258a.a. 370 aa vs.
 > mT258 a.a. 394 aa
 scoring matrix: pam120.mat, gap penalties: -12/-4
 62.8% identity; Global alignment score: 1085

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      10      20      30      40      50      60
inputs  MISLPGPLVTNLXRFLLGLSALAPPSRAQLQLHLPA--NRLQAVEEGESGASAWYTLHREVSSSQPWEV
      :: :: :::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: :::::
      MILQAGTPETSLLRVLFGLSTLAAFSRAQMELVPPGLNKLLEAVEGEEVVLPAWYTMAREESWSHPREV
      10      20      30      40      50      60      70

      70      80      90      100     110     120     130
inputs  PFVMWFFKQKEKE-DQVLSYINGVTTSKPGVSLVYSMPSRNLSLRVEGLQEKGSGPYSCSVNVQDKQGKS
      ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: :::::
      PILIWFLEQEGKEPNQVLSYINGVMTNKPGTALVHSISSRNVSRLGALQEGDSGTYRCSNVNQNDGKS
      80      90      100     110     120     130     140

      140     150     160     170     180     190     200
inputs  RGHSIKITLENLVLPAPPSCRLQGVPVHGAVNLSCQSPRSKPAVQYQWDRQLPSFQTFAPALDVIRG
      ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: :::::
      IGHSIKSIELKVLVPPAPPSCSLQGVPVGTNVTNLNCKSPRSKPTAQYQWERLAPSSQVFFGPDALDAVRG
      150     160     170     180     190     200     210

      210     220     230     240     250     260     270
inputs  SLSLTNLSSSMAGVYVCKAHNEVGTAQCNVTLEVSTGPGAAVVAEAVVGTLVGLGLLAGLVLLYHRRGKA
      ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: :::::
      SLKLTNLSIAMSGVYVCKAQNVRVGFAKCNVTLDVMTGSKAAVVAGAVVGTFFVGLVLIAGLVLLYQRRSKT
      220     230     240     250     260     270     280

      280     290     300     310     320     330     340
inputs  LEEPANDIKEDAIAPRTLPPWKSSDTISKNGTLSSVTSARALRPPHG-PPRPGALTPTPSLSSQALPSPR
      ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: ::::: :::::
      LEELANDIKEDAIAPRTLPPWKSSDTISKNGTLSSVTSARALRPPKAAPPRPGTFTPTPSVSSQALSSPR
      290     300     310     320     330     340     350

      350     360     370
inputs  HAH-----DRWGPPSTNIPHPWGGFFLWL
      .. ::::: ::::: ::::: :::::
      LPRVDEPPPPQAVSLTPGGVSSSALSRMGAVPMVPAQSQAGSL-V
      360     370     380     390

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FIG. 22

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10      20      30      40      50      60
inputs MISLPGPLVTNLXRFLFLGLSALAPPSRAQLQLHLPANRLQAVEEG-ESGASAWYTLHREVSSSQPWEVP
... ..
MVGKMWPVLWTLCA-VRVTVDAISVETPQDV-LRASQGKSVTLPCITYHTSTSSREGLIQWDKLLLTHTER
10      20      30      40      50      60

70      80      90      100     110     120     130
inputs FVMWFFKQKEKEDQVLSYINGVTTSKPGVSLVYSMPSRNLSLRVEGLQEKGSGPYSCSVNVQDKQGKSRG
... ..
VVIWPFSENK-----YIHG-ELYKNRVSISNNAEQSDASITIDQLTMADNGTYECSVSLMSDLE---G
70      80      90      100     110     120

140     150     160     170     180     190     200
inputs HSIKTLELNVLPAPPSCRLQGVPVHGANTLSCQSPRSKPAVQYQWDR--QLPSFQTFAPALDVIRG
.. ..
NTKSRVRLVLVPPSPKPECGIEGETIIGNNIQLTCQSKEGSPTPQYSWKRYNILNQEQLAQPASGQ---
130     140     150     160     170     180     190

210     220     230     240     250     260     270
inputs SLSLTNLSSSMAGVYVCKAHNEVGTAQCNVTLEVSTGP-GAAVVAEAVVGTLVGLGLLAGLVLLYHRRGK
... ..
PVSLKNISTDTSGYYICTSSNEEGTQFCNITVAVRSPSMNVALYVGIAGVVAAALIIIGIIYCCCCRGK
200     210     220     230     240     250     260

280     290     300     310     320     330     340
inputs ALEEPANDIKEDAIAPRTLWPWKSSDTISKNGTLSSVTSARALRPPHGP RP RGALTP T PSLSSQALPSPR
.. ..
--DDNTED-KEDA-----RPNREAYEEP-PEQLRELSREREEE-DDYR
270      280      290      300

350     360     370
inputs HAHDWGGPPSTNIPHPWWGFFLWL
... ..
QEEQR--STGRES PDH-----LDQ
310

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ALIGN calculates a global alignment of two sequences
 version 2.0uPlease cite: Myers and Miller, CABIOS (1989)
 > ht258 n.a. 1869 aa vs.
 > GenBank U79725 - Human A33 antigen precursor mR 2793 aa
 scoring matrix: pam120.mat, gap penalties: -12/-4
 40.6% identity; Global alignment score: 1182

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              10              20
inputs GTCGACCC-----ACGCGTNCNT-----CCAG-----C-----
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      --CTACCCCTTTGTGAGCAGTCTAGGACTTTGTACACCTGTTAAGTAGGGAGAAGGCAGGGGAGGTGGCT
              10              20              30              40              50              60

              30              40              50
inputs -----GTNC-----GGAG-----CCGC-----CCT-----GGGTGTCA-GCG-GC
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      GGTTTAAGGGGAAGTTGAGGGAAGTAGGGAAGACTCCTCTTGGGACCTTTGGAGTAGGTGACACATGAGC
      70              80              90              100             110             120             130

              60              70              80              90
inputs TCGGCTCCCGCGCAC--GC--TCCGGCCGT---CGCGC-AGCCT---CGGCA---C---C-----
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      CCAGCCCCAGCTCACCTGCCAATCCAGCTGAGGAGCTCACCTGCCAATCCAGCTGAGGCTGGGCAGAGGT
      140             150             160             170             180             190             200

              100             110             120
inputs -----TGCAGG---TCC---GTGC---GTCCCG---CGGCTGGCGCC---CCTG
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      GGGTGAGAAGAGGGAAAATTGCAGGGACCTCCAGTTGGGCCAGGCCAGAAGCTGCTGTAGCTTTAACCAG
      210             220             230             240             250             260             270

              130             140             150
inputs AC---TCCGTCC-----CGGCCAGGGA-----GGGC-----CATGA
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      ACAGCTCAGACCTGTCTGGAGGCTGCCAGTGACAGGTTAGGTTTAGGGCAGAGAAGAAGCAAGACCATGG
      280             290             300             310             320             330             340

              160             170             180
inputs TTT-----CC-----CTCCCGGGGCC---CCTGGTGACCAAC-----TTGN
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      TGGGGAAGATGTGGCCTGTGTTGTGGACACTCTGTGCAGTCAGGGTGACCGTCGATGCCATCTCTGTGGA
      350             360             370             380             390             400             410

              190             200             210             220
inputs TGC-----GGTTTTGTTC-----CTGGGGCTGAGTG---CCCT-C---GCGCC---CC-----
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      AACTCCGCAGGACGTTCTTCGGGCTTCGCAGGGAAAGAGTGTCAACCCTGCCCTGCACCTACCACACTTCC
      420             430             440             450             460             470             480

              230             240             250             260
inputs -CCTC-----GCGGGCC---CA-----GCTGCAACT-GCACTTGC-----CCGCC
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      ACCTCCAGTCGAGAGGGGACTTATTCAATGGGATAAGCTCCTCCTCACTCATACGGAAGGGTGGTCATCT
      490             500             510             520             530             540             550

              270             280             290             300             310             320
inputs AACCGGTTGCAGGCGGTGG-----AGGAGGG---GGAAAGTGCTGCTTCAGCATGGTACACCTTGC
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      GGCCGTTTTCAAACAAAACTACATCCATGGTGAGCTTTATAAGAATCGCGTCAGCATATCCAACAATGC
      560             570             580             590             600             610             620

              330             340             350             360
inputs A---CAGGGAGGTGTCTTCATC-CCA-----GCCATGGGAGG---TGC-CCTT---TGTGATGT
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
      TGAGCAGTCCGATGCCTCCATCACCATTGATCAGCTGACCATGGCTGACAACGGCACCTACGAGTGTCTCT
      630             640             650             660             670             680             690

              370             380             390             400             410
inputs GGTTC-----TCAAAC---AGAAAGAAAAGGAGGATCAGGTGT-----TGTCCT-----
      : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :

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FIG. 24A

FIG. 24B

FIG. 24C

FIG. 24D

ALIGN calculates a global alignment of two sequences

version 2.0 Please cite: Myers and Miller, CABIOS (1989)

> mT258 a.a.

394 aa vs.

> SwissProt Q99795 - (untitled)

319 aa

scoring matrix: paml20.mat, gap penalties: -12/-4

23.0% identity; Global alignment score: -149

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      10      20      30      40      50      60      70
inputs MILQAGTPETSLLRVLFGLSTLAAFSRAQMELHVPPGLNKLEAVEGEEVLPAWYTMAREESWSHPREV
      ..      ::      ::      .      .      .      .      .      .      .
      MV-----GKMWPVLW----TLC AVRVTVD AISVETPDVLRASQGKSVTLPC TYHTSTSSREG LIQWD
              10              20              30              40              50

      80      90      100      110      120      130      140
inputs PILIWFLQEGKEPNQVLSYINGVMTNKP GTALVHSSIRNVSLRLGALQEGDSGTYRCSVNVQNDEGKS
      ..      .      .      .      .      .      .      .      .      .      .
      KLLLTHTERVV IWPFSNKNYIHGELYK NR-VSISNNAEQSDASITIDQLTMADNGTYECSVSLMSDLE--
      60      70      80      90      100      110      120

      150      160      170      180      190      200      210
inputs IGHSIKSIELKVLVPPAPPSCSLQ VVPYVGTNVTNLNCKSPRSKPTAQYQWERLAPSSQVFFGPALDAVRG
      .      .      .      .      .      .      .      .      .      .      .
      -GNTKSRVRLLVLPVPPSKPECGIEGETIIGNNIQLTCQSKEGSPTPQYSWKRYN ILNQE--QPLAQPASG
      130      140      150      160      170      180      190

      220      230      240      250      260      270
inputs -SLKLTNLSIAMSGVYVCKAQNRVGF AKCNVTLDMVTGS-KAAVVAGAVVGT FVGLVLIAGLVLLYQRRS
      .      .      .      .      .      .      .      .      .      .      .
      QPVS LKNISTDTSGYYICTSSNEEGTQFCNITVAVRSPSMNVALYVGI AVGVVAALIIIG--II IYCCCC
      200      210      220      230      240      250      260

      280      290      300      310      320      330      340
inputs KTL EELANDIKEDAIAPRTL PWT KGSDTISKNGTLSSVTSARALRPPKAAPRPGTFTPTPSVSSQALSS
      .      .      .      .      .      .      .      .      .      .      .
      RGKDDNTED-KEDA-----RPNREAYEEPPEQ-----LREL SR
              270              280              290

      350      360      370      380      390
inputs PRLPRVDEPPPQAVSLTPGGVSSSALSRMGAVPMVPAQSQAGSLV
      .      .      .      .      .
      EREE--EDDYRQEEQRSTGRES PDHLDQ-----
              300              310

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FIG. 25

ALIGN calculates a global alignment of two sequences
 version 2.0>Please cite: Myers and Miller, CABIOS (1989)
 > mt258 n.a. 1846 aa vs.
 > GenBank U79725 - Human A33 antigen precursor mR 2793 aa
 scoring matrix: paml20.mat, gap penalties: -12/-4
 40.0% identity; Global alignment score: 908

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              10          20          30
inputs  GTCGACCC-----ACGC-GTC-----CG--GTGCAC--ATT-----C--GGGTTGCCGCC
      :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :
      --CTACCCCTTTGTGAGCAGTCTAGGACTTTGTACACCTGTTAAGTAGGGAGAAGGCAGGGGAGGTGGCT
              10          20          30          40          50          60

              40          50          60          70
inputs  G-----CT-----CACC-CACAACACCTGTAGAC-----AC-CGTGTGT
      :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :
      GGTTTAAGGGGAACCTTGAGGGAAGTAGGGAAGACTCCTCTTGGGACCTTTGGAGTAGGTGACACATGAGC
              70          80          90          100          110          120          130

              80          90          100          110
inputs  CCAAC-----TCTCC-----CTGAGTA-CTC-----CGGGCCA---AGG-AGGGCCATGAT
      :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :
      CCAGCCCCAGCTCACCTGCCAATCCAGCTGAGGAGCTCACCTGCCAATCCAGCTGAGGCTGGGCAGAGGT
              140          150          160          170          180          190          200

              120          130          140          150          160
inputs  TCTTCAG-----GCTGGAACCCCGA---GACCAG-C---TTGCTGCGGGTT-TTGTTCCTG
      :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :
      GGGTGAGAAGAGGGAATTCAGGGACCTCCAGTTGGGCCAGGCCAGAAGCTGCTGTAGCTTTAACCAG
              210          220          230          240          250          260          270

              170          180          190          200          210
inputs  G-GACTGAGTACCCTTGCTGCCTTCTCCCGAGCTCAGATGGAGTT---GCA-----CGTGCCCC--
      :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :
      ACAGCTCAGA--CCTGTCTGGAGGCTGCCAGTGACAGGTTAGGTTTAGGGCAGAGAAGAAGCAAGACCAT
              280          290          300          310          320          330          340

              220          230          240          250
inputs  -----CC-----GGGC-CTCAA--CAAATTGGAAG-CGGTAGAGGGAGAAGAAGTG
      :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :
      GGTGGGAAGATGTGGCCTGTGTTGTGGACACTCTGTGCAGTCAGGGTGACCGTCGATGCCATCTCTGTG
              350          360          370          380          390          400          410

              260          270          280          290          300
inputs  GTGCTCCCCGCCTG--GTACA-CGA---TGGCACGGGAGGAGT-----CGTGGTCC-----
      :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :
      GAA-ACTCCGCAGGACGTTCTTCGGGCTTCGCAGGGAAAGAGTGTACCCTGCCCTGCACCTACCACACT
              420          430          440          450          460          470          480

              310          320          330          340          350
inputs  --CACC-CC---CGGGAGGTGCCCATCCT---GATCTGGTTCT-----TGGAAACAAGAAGGGAAGGAA
      :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :
      TCCACCTCCAGTCGAGAGGGACTTATTCAATGGGATAAGCTCCTCCTCACTCATACGGAAGGGTGGTCA
              490          500          510          520          530          540          550

              360          370          380          390          400
inputs  CCAAACCAAGGTGTTGCTTA-----CATTAAATGGAGTCATGACAAATAAACCTG---
      :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :
      TCTGGCCGTTTTCAAACAAAACACTACATCCATGGTGAGCTTTATAAGAATCGCGTCAGCATATCCAACAA
              560          570          580          590          600          610          620

              410          420          430          440          450
inputs  ----GAACAGCCCTGGTCCAC--TCT-----ATCT-----CTTCACGGAATGTGTC-CCTGCG-----
      :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :
      TGCTGAGCAGTCGGATGCCCTCCATCACCATTGATCAGCTGACCATGGCTGACACGGGCACCTACGAGTGT
              630          640          650          660          670          680          690

              460          470          480          490          500
inputs  -C-----CTGGGGCACTCCAGGAGGGAGACTCTGGGAC---TTACCGCTGTTCTGTCAATGTGC---
      :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :

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FIG. 26A

FIG. 26B

FIG. 26C

FIG. 26D

ALIGN calculates a global alignment of two sequences

version 2.0u Please cite: Myers and Miller, CABIOS (1989)

> ht258 n.a.

1869 aa vs.

> pecan n.a.

2557 aa

scoring matrix: paml20.mat, gap penalties: -12/-4

40.5% identity; Global alignment score: 1546

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                                10          20
inputs  G---TC-----GACC-----CAC---GCGTNCNTC-CAGCGTN-----
      :  ::          ::::          :::  ::: . .:: ::::: .
      GAATTCGGGAGAAGTGACCAGAGCAATTTCTGCTTTTCACAGGGCGGGTTTCTCAACGGTGACTTGTGG
                10          20          30          40          50          60          70

          30          40          50          60          70          80
inputs  -CGGAGCCGCC--CTGGG--TGTCAGCGGCTCGGCTCCCGCGCACGCT---CCGGC---CGTCGC-----
      :.::: :  ::::  ::::  ::: :  : :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :
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                80          90          100          110          120          130

          90          100          110          120          130
inputs  ----GCAGCCTCGGCA--CCTGCAGGTCCG---TGCGTCCCG-----CGGCTGGCGCCCTGACTCCGTC
      :::: :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :
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      140          150          160          170          180          190          200

          140          150          160          170          180
inputs  CCGGCCAGGGAGGGCCATGATTTCCCT--CCCGG--GGCC-----CCTGGTGA-CCAAC-----T
      : .::: :  :::  ::::: :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :
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      210          220          230          240          250          260          270

          190          200          210          220          230
inputs  TGNTGCGGTTT---TTGTTCTTGGGGCTG-AGTGC--C-C-----TC-GCGCCCCC-CTCGCG---GGCC
      :.::: :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :
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      280          290          300          310          320          330          340

          240          250          260          270          280
inputs  -CAGCTGCAACTGC-----ACTTGC-----C-----CGCCAACCGGTTGCAGGCGGTG
      :.::: :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :
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          290          300          310          320          330          340
inputs  GAGGAGGGGGA-----AAGT--GGTGCTTCAGCA-TGGTACACCT---TGCACAGGGAGGTGTCTTCATC
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      420          430          440          450          460          470          480

          350          360          370          380          390
inputs  CCAG-----CCA-TGGGAGGTGCC--CTTT--GTGATGTGGTTCTTCAAACAGAAAGAAAGGAGGATC
      ::  :::  ::  ::::: :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :

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FIG. 27A

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400      410      420      430      440      450
inputs AGGTGTTGTCTACATCAATGGGGTCA-----CAACAAG-CAAACCTGGAGTAT-----CCTTGG-T
      :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... :
      AGAAAGAGGCCATCCAAGGTGGGATCGTGAGGGTCAACTGTTCTGTCTCCAGAGGAAAAGGCCCAATACA
      560      570      580      590      600      610      620

460      470      480      490      500
inputs CTACTC-----CATGCCCTCCCGGAACC--TGTCCCTGC-GGGTGGAGGG-----TCTC-----
      :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... :
      CTTCACAATTGAAAACTTGAACATAATGAAAAATGGTCAAGCTGAAAAGAGAGAAGAATTCTCGAGAC
      630      640      650      660      670      680      690

510      520      530      540      550
inputs CAGGAGAAAG--ACTCTGG----CCCCTAC----AGCTGCTCCGTGAATGTGC-----AAGACAAACAA
      :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... :
      CAGAATTTTGTGATACTGGAATTCCCCGTTGAGGAACAGGACCGCGTTTATCCTTCCGATGTCAAGCTA
      700      710      720      730      740      750      760

560      570      580      590
inputs GG--CAAATCTAGGGGCCA----CAG-CATCAAAA----CCTTA-----GAACTCAATG-----
      : : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... :
      GGATCATTTCTGGGATCCATATGCAGACCTCAGAATCTACCAAGAGTGAAGTGGTCACCGTGACGGAATC
      770      780      790      800      810      820      830

600      610      620      630
inputs -TACT-----GGTTCCTC--CAGCTCCTCC----ATCCTG-----C-CGTCTCCA--GGGTG
      :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... :
      CTTCTCTACACCCAAGTTCCACATCAGCCCCACCGGAATGATCATGGAAGGAGCTCAGCTCCACATTAAG
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640      650      660      670      680      690
inputs TGCCCCATG-TGGGGGCAAACGTGACCCTG-AGCTGCCAG---TC-----TC-----CAAGGAGTAAG
      : : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... :
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700      710      720
inputs ---CCC-----GCTGT--C-----CAATACCAGTG-GGATC-----GGCAGCTT
      : : : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... :
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730      740      750      760      770
inputs C-CATCCT-----TCCAGAC---TTTCTTTG--CACCAGCATTAGATGTCATCGTG--GGTCTTTA
      : : : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... : :... :
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FIG. 27B

FIG. 27C

FIG. 27D

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      1710      1720      1730      1740      1750      1760
inputs GTATTGATATAACCTGTCAGG-CTGGCTTGTTAG-GTTTTACTGGGG---CAGAGGATAGGGA-----
      :: . . .:: :: . : :: : : : . . : . . : . . : . . : . . : . . : . . :
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      2380      2390      2400      2410      2420      2430

      1770      1780      1790      1800      1810      1820
inputs -ATCTCTTATTAAAA---CTAACATGAAATATGTGTTGTTTTCATTT--GCAAATTTAAATAAAGATACA
      . : . . . . . : . : : . . . . . : . : . : . : . : . : . : . : . : . : . : . :
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      2440      2450      2460      2470      2480      2490      2500

      1830      1840      1850      1860
inputs TAAT---GTTTGATGAGATAAGAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAGGGCGGCCGC-
      : . . : . : : : : . . . . . : . : : :
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FIG. 27E

TANGO 281

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Sequence length 1812

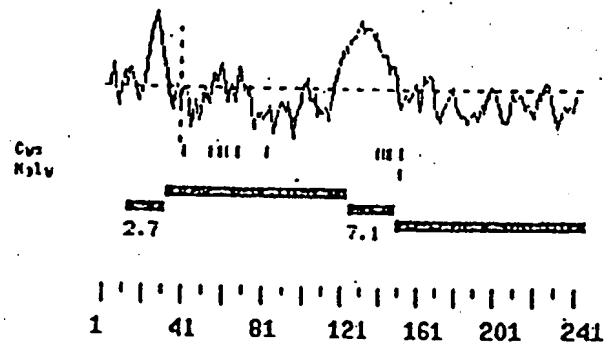
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FIG. 28A

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FIG. 28B



>ht281

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PKAVP

FIG. 29

Alignments of top-scoring domains:

PSBH: domain 1 of 1, from 97 to 146: score 5.5, E = 8.5

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FIG. 30

Input file T281Atmea49d3; Output File T281Atmea49d3.pat
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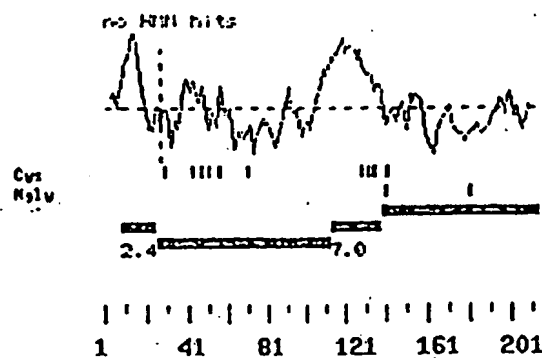
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FIG. 31A

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FIG. 31B



•mT281

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FIG. 32

ALIGN calculates a global alignment of two sequences

version 2.0uPlease cite: Myers and Miller, CABIOS (1989)

> hT281 a.a. 245 aa vs.

> mT281 a.a. 213 aa

scoring matrix: paml20.mat, gap penalties: -12/-4

66.5% identity; Global alignment score: 739

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      :      :      :      :      :      :      :
M-----AAPAPSLWTL SLLLLLLL PPGAHGELCRPFGEDNSIPVFCPDFCCGSCSNQYCCSD
      10      20      30      40      50

      80      90      100      110      120      130
inputs VLKKIQWNEEMCPEPESSRFSAHPE-TPEQLGSALKYQSSLDSDNMPGFGATVAIGLTVFVFIATIIVC
      :      :      :      :      :      :
VLRKIQWNEEMCPEPESSRFSTPAEETPEHLGSALKFRSSFSDPMSGFGATVAIGVTIFVFIATIIIC
      60      70      80      90      100      110      120

      140      150      160      170      180      190      200
inputs FTCSCCCLYKMCCRPRPVVSNTTTT VVHTAYPQPQP--VAPSYPGPTYQGYHPMPQP GMPAAPYPTQY
      :      :      :      :      :      :
FTCSCCCLYKMCCPQRPVVTNTTTT VVHAPYPQPQPQP VAPSYPGPTYQGYHPMP-----PARN
      130      140      150      160      170      180

      210      220      230      240
inputs PPPYLAQPTGPPAYHETLAGASQPPYNPAYMDPPKAVP
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FIG. 33

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Glu Leu Arg Asp Phe Lys Asn Lys Met Leu Pro Leu Leu Glu Val Ala
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Pro Ala Leu Pro Cys Val Glu Phe Asp Glu Lys Val Thr Gly Gly Pro
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Ala Ser Arg Val Arg Val Pro Phe Pro Trp Val Gly Thr Gly Gln Leu
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Val Tyr Gly Gly Phe Leu Tyr Phe Ala Arg Arg Pro Pro Gly Arg Pro
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Gly Gly Gly Gly Glu Met Glu Asn Thr Leu Gln Leu Ile Lys Phe His
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<212> DNA

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          20          25          30
Arg Leu Ala Ala Leu Glu Glu Arg Leu Ala Gln Cys Gln Asp Gln Ser
      35          40          45
Ser Arg His Ala Ala Glu Leu Arg Asp Phe Lys Asn Lys Met Leu Pro
      50          55          60
Leu Leu Glu Val Ala Glu Lys Glu Arg Glu Thr Leu Arg Thr Glu Ala
65          70          75          80
Asp Ser Ile Ser Gly Arg Val Asp Arg Leu Glu Arg Glu Val Asp Tyr
          85          90          95
Leu Glu Thr Gln Asn Pro Ala Leu Pro Cys Val Glu Leu Asp Glu Lys
          100          105          110
Val Thr Gly Gly Pro Gly Ala Lys Gly Lys Gly Arg Arg Asn Glu Lys
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 35 40 45
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 260 265 270
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<400> 99

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Glu Leu Arg Asp Phe Lys Asn Lys Met Leu Pro Leu Leu Glu Val Ala
 35          40          45
Glu Lys Glu Arg Glu Thr Leu Arg Thr Glu Ala Asp Ser Ile Ser Gly
 50          55          60
Arg Val Asp Arg Leu Glu Arg Glu Val Asp Tyr Leu Glu Thr Gln Asn
 65          70          75          80
Pro Ala Leu Pro Cys Val Glu Leu Asp Glu Lys Val Thr Gly Gly Pro
 85          90          95
Gly Ala Lys Gly Lys Gly Arg Arg Asn Glu Lys Tyr Asp Met Val Thr
100          105          110
Asp Cys Ser Tyr Thr Val Ala Gln Val Arg Ser Met Lys Ile Leu Lys
115          120          125
Arg Phe Gly Gly Ser Val Gly Leu Trp Thr Lys Asp Pro Leu Gly Pro
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Val Phe Pro Arg Leu Arg Asp Phe Thr Leu Ala Met Ala Ala Arg Lys
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195          200          205
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245          250          255
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<211> 243

<212> PRT

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      20              25              30
Gly Leu Pro Gly Thr Pro Gly His His Gly Ser Gln Gly Leu Pro Gly
      35              40              45
Arg Asp Gly Arg Asp Gly Arg Asp Gly Val Pro Gly Ala Pro Gly Glu
      50              55              60
Lys Gly Glu Gly Gly Arg Pro Gly Leu Pro Gly Pro Arg Gly Asp Pro
      65              70              75              80
Gly Pro Arg Gly Glu Ala Gly Pro Ala Gly Pro Thr Gly Pro Ala Gly
      85              90              95
Glu Cys Ser Val Pro Pro Arg Ser Ala Phe Ser Ala Lys Arg Ser Glu
      100              105              110
Ser Arg Val Pro Pro Pro Ser Asp Ala Pro Leu Pro Phe Asp Arg Val
      115              120              125
Leu Val Asn Glu Gln Gly His Tyr Asp Ala Val Thr Gly Lys Phe Thr
      130              135              140
Cys Gln Val Pro Gly Val Tyr Tyr Phe Ala Val His Ala Thr Val Tyr
      145              150              155              160
Arg Ala Ser Leu Gln Phe Asp Leu Val Lys Asn Gly Glu Ser Ile Ala
      165              170              175
Ser Phe Phe Gln Phe Phe Gly Gly Trp Pro Lys Pro Ala Ser Leu Ser
      180              185              190
Gly Gly Ala Met Val Arg Leu Glu Pro Glu Asp Gln Val Trp Val Gln
      195              200              205

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<212> DNA

<213> Homo sapiens

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<212> PRT

<213> Homo sapiens

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 20           25           30
Gly Leu Pro Gly Thr Pro Gly His His Gly Ser Gln Gly Leu Pro Gly
 35           40           45
Arg Asp Gly Arg Asp Gly Arg Asp Gly Ala Pro Gly Ala Pro Gly Glu
 50           55           60
Lys Gly Glu Gly Gly Arg Pro Gly Leu Pro Gly Pro Arg Gly Asp Pro
 65           70           75           80
Gly Pro Arg Gly Glu Ala Gly Pro Ala Gly Pro Thr Gly Pro Val Gly
 85           90           95
Glu Cys Ser Val Pro Pro Arg Ser Ala Phe Ser Ala Lys Arg Ser Glu
100           105           110
Ser Arg Val Pro Pro Pro Ser Asp Ala Pro Leu Pro Phe Asp Arg Val

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115	120	125
Leu Val Asn Glu Gln Gly His Tyr Asp Ala Val Thr Gly Lys Phe Thr		
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Cys Gln Val Pro Gly Val Tyr Tyr Phe Ala Val His Ala Thr Val Tyr		
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Arg Ala Ser Leu Gln Phe Asp Leu Val Lys Asn Gly Glu Ser Ile Ala		
165	170	175
Ser Phe Phe Gln Phe Phe Gly Gly Trp Pro Lys Pro Ala Ser Leu Ser		
180	185	190
Gly Gly Ala Met Val Arg Leu Glu Pro Glu Asp Gln Val Trp Val Gln		
195	200	205
Val Gly Val Gly Asp Tyr Ile Gly Ile Tyr Ala Ser Ile Lys Thr Asp		
210	215	220
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Val Phe Ala		240

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Gly Leu Pro Gly Thr Pro Gly His His Gly Ser Gln Gly Leu Pro Gly
 35 40 45
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 130 135 140
 Cys Gln Val Pro Gly Val Tyr Tyr Phe Ala Val His Ala Thr Val Tyr
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 180 185 190
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 195 200 205
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INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

International application No.

PCT/US00/16883

A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

IPC(7) : C07K 14/47; C07H 21/34; C12N 15/63, 1/21; C12P 21/02

US CL : 530/350; 536/23.5; 435/320.1, 252.3, 361, 69.1

According to International Patent Classification (IPC) or to both national classification and IPC

B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)

U.S. : 530/350; 536/23.5; 435/320.1, 252.3, 361, 69.1

Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched

Electronic data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practicable, search terms used)

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C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category*	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
X -- Y	WO 99/10492 A1 (ZYMOGENETICS, INC.) 04 March 1999 (04.03.99), see entire document, especially SEQ ID NOS: 1 and 2, page 4, line 16 to page 5, line 24, page 6, line 7 to page 8, line 17.	1-10 and 12 ----- 18
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Further documents are listed in the continuation of Box C.



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Box I Observations where certain claims were found unsearchable (Continuation of item 1 of first sheet)

This international report has not been established in respect of certain claims under Article 17(2)(a) for the following reasons:

1. ☐ Claims Nos.:
because they relate to subject matter not required to be searched by this Authority, namely:

2. ☐ Claims Nos.:
because they relate to parts of the international application that do not comply with the prescribed requirements to such an extent that no meaningful international search can be carried out, specifically:

3. ☐ Claims Nos.:
because they are dependent claims and are not drafted in accordance with the second and third sentences of Rule 6.4(a).

Box II Observations where unity of invention is lacking (Continuation of item 2 of first sheet)

This International Searching Authority found multiple inventions in this international application, as follows:

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1. ☐ As all required additional search fees were timely paid by the applicant, this international search report covers all searchable claims.
2. ☐ As all searchable claims could be searched without effort justifying an additional fee, this Authority did not invite payment of any additional fee.
3. ☐ As only some of the required additional search fees were timely paid by the applicant, this international search report covers only those claims for which fees were paid, specifically claims Nos.:

4. ☒ No required additional search fees were timely paid by the applicant. Consequently, this international search report is restricted to the invention first mentioned in the claims; it is covered by claims Nos.:
1-10, 12 and 18

Remark on Protest

- ☐ The additional search fees were accompanied by the applicant's protest.
☐ No protest accompanied the payment of additional search fees.

B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Electronic data bases consulted (Name of data base and where practicable terms used):

Commercial Sequence Databases: GenEmbl, N_Geneseq_36, Issued_Patents_NA, EST, a-geneseq36, swiss-prot38, stremb12, pir64, a-issued

Sequences searched: SEQ ID NOS: 1-3 and 8-10

BOX II. OBSERVATIONS WHERE UNITY OF INVENTION WAS LACKING

This ISA found multiple inventions as follows:

This application contains the following inventions or groups of inventions which are not so linked as to form a single inventive concept under PCT Rule 13.1. In order for all inventions to be searched, the appropriate additional search fees must be paid.

Group I, claim(s) 1-10, 12 and 18, in so far as they are drawn to human and mouse Tango 253, polynucleotides of SEQ ID NOS: 1, 2, 8 and 9, vector, host cell, method of producing a protein and polypeptides of SEQ ID NOS: 3-5 and 10-12.

Groups II-IV, claim(s) 1-10, 12 and 18, in so far as they are drawn to the polynucleotides of distinct cDNA clones and encoded proteins of human and mouse Intercept 258, Tango 281 and Tango 257, listed in Tables 1-4, pages 59-63.

Groups V-VIII, claim(s) 11 and 15, in so far as they are drawn to antibodies and binding compounds to the polypeptides listed in groups I-IV, respectively.

Groups IX-XII, claim(s) 13, 14, 19, 20 and 22, in so far as they are drawn to a method for detecting the presence of a polypeptide or a method for identifying a compound which binds to or modulates the activity of a polypeptide listed in groups I-IV, respectively.

Groups XIII-XVI, claim(s) 16 and 17, in so far as they are drawn to a method for detecting the presence of a nucleic acid molecule listed in groups I-IV, respectively.

Groups XVII-XX, claim 21, in so far as it is drawn to a method for modulating the activity of a polypeptide listed in groups I-IV, respectively.

The inventions listed as Groups I-XX do not relate to a single inventive concept under PCT Rule 13.1 because, under PCT Rule 13.2, they lack the same or corresponding special technical features for the following reasons: Group I corresponds to the first invention wherein the first product is the polynucleotide and the first method of using is the method of making the protein. Note that there is no method of making the polynucleotide. The invention also includes the protein made. Each of groups II-IV does not share the same or corresponding special technical feature because each group is drawn to a different polynucleotide and encoded protein, and each of groups V-XX does not share the same or corresponding special technical feature because each group is drawn to different compounds or methods of using the four polynucleotides and encoded proteins. This Authority therefore considers that the several inventions do not share a special technical feature within the meaning of PCT Rule 13.2 and thus do not relate to a single general inventive concept within the meaning of PCT Rule 13.1.